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PITTSBURGH CHINAMEN ARMING IN PREPARATION FOR EXPECTED CONFLICT
NAPLES IS BEING SUBMERGED WITH ASHES AND CINDERS FROM VESUVIUS
THE FIRST CANOING PARTY HAS FATAL ENDING OF EXPECTED PLEASURE

NEWS SUMMARY

DOMESTIC.

The New York conference of miners and operators ended without an agreement being reached.—Page 2.

It is believed that the Pittsburgh congressmen will soon agree on a postmastership selection, yielding to pressure to have the matter settled in advance of a Greater Pittsburgh.—Page 3.

John G. Carlisle makes the opening argument in the Senator Smoot case, urging the Utahan's expulsion.—Page 6.

Addressing athletic promoters President Roosevelt said the wishes of children should be considered in playground building.—Page 20.

FOREIGN.

The retirement of M. Durnovo, Russian minister of the interior who antagonized Witte, is predicted in St. Petersburg.—Page 9.

Robert Underwood Johnson of the Century staff, gives a graphic description of the horrors of the Vesuvius eruption.—Page 8.

Vesuvius continues to belch forth ashes, covering Naples with a layer of gray. Conditions are more reassuring. Search reveals a growing death list. Thousands of houses in the devastated district must be torn down. Relief work is fairly under way.—Page 1.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Organization was made at Harrisburg to fight the alleged mileage excess charge.—Page 5.

Treasurer-Elect Berry names a portion of his official staff. B. F. Measey of Ridley Park is the selection for cashier.—Page 1.

LOCAL.

Sons of Hancock county, West Virginia, will gather around the banquet table.—Page 20.

Two strikes were ordered in bituminous fields by Vice President James Clark.—Page 2.

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Fording-Morse syndicate was granted charter for proposed subway, and much litigation is expected to follow.—Page 3.

Travelers think railroads ought to make through rates into Ohio the sum of local fares in the two states.—Page 20.

Mayor Guthrie is said to have given Magistrate Kirby notice of his dismissal.—Page 3.

Immense fly wheel in McKeesport burst, wrecking the mill and causing $25,000 damage, but not injuring one of the 200 men there.—Page 7.

Cincinnati blames its few typhoid fever cases on Pittsburgh.—Page 7.

War threatened in Pittsburgh Chinatown between the residents and imported Highbinders.—Page 1.

Fully 15,000 people flocked to Hagenbeck's circus.—Page 7.

SPORTING.

The results of yesterday's baseball games were: Pittsburgh 2, St. Louis 1; Chicago 7, Cincinnati 2; New York 3, Philadelphia 2; Boston 2, Brooklyn 0.—Page 11.

Fine weather and good crowds were the rule at all the opening games in the National league.—Page 11.

Schaefer and Slosson, the old favorites, win their games in the international billiard tournament.—Page 11.

Second long-distance fight in Pennsylvania ended in a knockout.—Page 11.

FINANCIAL.

New York stocks less active and closed slightly lower. Call loan rates easier, ranging between 10 and 4 per cent. Pittsburgh stocks extremely dull, but steady. Wheat made an advance in price of two cents a bushel on the Chicago grain market.—Pages 18 and 19.

THE WEATHER

Rain.

Rain today, rain and colder tomorrow is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 55 degrees and the minimum 40 degrees. The sun rose clear at 5:46 a. m. and set clear at 6:56 p. m. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather.
8 a. m.	44	74	W.	10	Clear
8 p. m.	60	41	N.E.	12	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for April 12:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	57	58	Mean	52	48
Minimum	40	37	Precipitation	0	0
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	50		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.09	
Excess for day	2		Dfcy. for day	.09	
Exc. since April 1.	3		Dfcy. since April 1.	.25	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	32		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	2.17	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Rain Friday; Saturday rain and cooler; increasing east winds.

West Virginia—Showers and warmer Friday; Saturday rain and cooler.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	74	Cloudy	Cincinnati	68	Clear
Chicago	48	PtCldy	Davenport	68	Cloudy
Peoria	70	Cloudy	Des Moines	68	Cloudy
Columbus	54	Clear	Parkersburg	62	Clear
New York	54	Clear	Springf'd, Ill.	68	Cloudy
Buffalo	48	Clear	Indianapolis	60	Clear
Cleveland	58	Clear	Washington	62	Clear
Atlanta	78	Clear	Philadelphia	58	Clear
Wichita	62	PtCldy	Baltimore	60	Clear
Concordia	62	Cloudy	Gd. Haven	60	Clear
El Paso	68	Clear	Jacksonville	74	PtCldy
Cairo	78	Cloudy	New Orleans	72	Clear
Abilene	78	Clear	Montgomery	80	Cloudy
Peghidly	82	Cloudy	Kansas City	66	Rain
Marquette	56	Cloudy	Oklahoma	72	Clear
Louisville	72	PtCldy	Amarilla	50	Cloudy
Memphis	70	Cloudy	Chattanooga	70	Clear
Vicksburg	78	Cloudy	Bismarck	34	Rain
Little Rock	76	PtCldy	Yellowstone	30	Cloudy
Ft. Smith	78	Rain	Galveston	68	Cloudy
Nashville	80	Cloudy	Shreveport	76	Cloudy
Huron	40	Rain	Dodge City	54	Cloudy
Helena	40	Clear	Salt Lake	42	Clear
Duluth	50	PtCldy	North Platte	38	Cloudy
St. Paul	50	Cloudy	Los Angeles	52	Clear
Norfolk	66	Clear	Boston	48	Clear
Denver	44	Cloudy			

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

HIGHBINDERS LAY SIEGE TO CHINATOWN

Pittsburgh Chinese Arm to Resist Attempts to Levy Tribute.

POLICE ON GUARD

Murders Will Result Unless Hep Sing Tong Is Driven Out, Say Celestials.

STATEMENT FROM QUE WONG

Chinatown is in a state of siege. Every Pittsburgh Chinaman is doubly and trebly armed, and 44-caliber revolvers make their blouses protrude in an ungainly manner. Chinamen and police unite in fearing a murder or a series of murders at any moment.

Que Chow is in the city, it is said, with 48 of his followers. Chow and his comrades are members of the Hep Sing Toug, more popularly known as the Highbinders' society. They are here with the avowed purpose, according to information furnished the police, to impose a weekly tax of $3.50 upon each Chinese merchant or laundryman in Pittsburgh. This money is to be used for the benefit of the Hep Sing Tong and its members. This includes Que Chow and his merry men.

Que Chow has a New York record. During a war between the tongs in the metropolis recently four Chinamen were murdered. The police tried hard to connect Chow with these assassinations, but were unable to secure witnesses.

Want Highbinders Driven Out.

All the resident Chinese in Pittsburgh are opposed to the Heps. Frank Lock Wing, speaking for his fellow-countrymen in this city, cast down the gauntlet of war to the Highbinders last night. He said:

"We pay a mercantile tax to the city, and will not be blackmailed. There are 48 Highbinders in this city, but we greatly outnumber them. We are going to ask Director Ridgway today to drive these Highbinders from the city. They have caused trouble everywhere in this country, and unless they are driven out by the police, murder will be committed."

Que Chow registered last night at the Monongahela house, and declared he had heard with sorrow about the threatening conflict in Pittsburgh, and issued the following diplomatic statement:

Discusses Bad Chinamen.

"I am afraid that some of the Chinamen driven out of New York a few months ago, after they had ruined our trade, reputation and peace for two years, have come west and taken refuge in Pittsburgh's Chinatown. These tong men, hatchetmen and gambling touts are as different from the average laundryman as a cowboy is from the average American citizen. They live by gambling and by blackmailing schemes more insidious than the Italian Black Hand.

"I know the shrewdness of the Pittsburgh Chinamen, and do not think any of these gambling grafters can lure them into law-breaking or civil strife. Unfortunately, many of these slick Chinamen who have arrived from New York have been bred in the atmosphere of Gotham's police graft, and imagine they can purchase protection here. Being foiled in this, they may try blackmailing for a living. Inasmuch as one bad Chinaman, in the American viewpoint, outbalances a hundred peaceable laundrymen and merchants, the sooner the local colony invites the disturbers to leave town the better."

DOG'S ANGRY GROWLS CAUSES MAN'S ARREST

Animal Belonged to Farmer Who Was Wounded from Ambush—Suspect Confesses.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MARGARETVILLE, N. Y., April 12.—Horace S. Burnside of Maryland, a little village 30 miles from here, was wounded while leaving his barn on Saturday evening by a man who stood in a dark corner of a fence and fired a shotgun at him. Burnside's dog ran toward the assailant, who shot the animal, but did not kill it.

When Stephen Craft went to the Burnside house yesterday, the dog, who had before been friendly to him, became frantic with rage. This aroused suspicion and he was arrested for shooting Burnside.

Craft confessed and told of a plot to kill the entire Burnside family. Craft declared that Gilbert Crouse, Charles Newberry and John Knapp had made definite and careful plans to exterminate the family. Craft was to kill Burnside and the others, he charged, were to kill Burnside's brother and son.

AN EXPENSIVE BIBLE.

Court Gives Publishers Verdict for $1,095 for Scripture Sold to Wife of Oil Man.

BUTLER, PA., April 12.—The B. C. and Gordon Montgomery Company today obtained a verdict of $1,095 against Mrs. Clara B. Greenlee, wife of Clinton D. Greenlee, the well known oil man, for a copy of the Bible printed on Japan paper. The copy consisted of 14 volumes, magnificently bound, each of which was to cost $75.

OUR FIRST SMILE

JAMES F. BURKE INSURES HEARERS FOR BOURKE COCKRAN'S ORATORY

"Hurry" Messages to Dozing Congressmen Keep Them Awake the Remainder of the Session. Still Wondering Who Wrote Them.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
I. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—That Bourke Cockran was not at his best today was shown by the fact that several members of the house, while he was speaking, succumbed to the influence of the balmy spring air that pervaded the hall of the house and dozed. Among the somnolent members was Kennedy of Ohio, and Capron of Rhode Island.

Representative Burke of Pittsburgh, espied them and reaching for telegraph blanks he indited telegrams to each of them. To Kennedy he wrote: "For God's sake, wake up and listen to Bourke Cockran, (Signed) Mayor of Youngstown."

Capron's message ran: "In the name of Providence and other Rhode Island villages, wake up and listen to what Bourke Cockran is saying. (Signed) Mayor of Providence."

Burke then called a page boy and told him to deliver the messages.

Kennedy awoke with a start and fumbling for his glasses read it carefully. What he said is not to be printed. Capron too, was nervous and read the message through twice before he realized it was a joke.

Then both the victims looked about to discover who had put up the job on them, but Burke was listening intently to the remarks of Cockran, the great Tammany orator. Neither Kennedy or Capron closed their eyes after that.

POLICE WATCH, BUT MACHINERY IS NOW MISSING

Scow Load of Material Under Litigation Gets Away From City's Guardians.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 12.—A whole scow load of massive machinery, the subject of litigation in the courts and under the special guardianship of mounted officers at the Torresdale filtration plant, has mysteriously disappeared. The policemen who were supposed to be on guard over it have been haled before Director of Public Safety Potter to explain how machinery, weighing tons, could be carried away from the filter plant without their knowledge.

The machinery is said to have been part of a pumping plant owned by subcontractors under Daniel J. McNichol, who were working on the Torresdale works when Mayor Weaver ordered the work suspended. Pending a settlement of the controversy between the city and McNichol, policemen were assigned to every portion of the filter plant and were charged not to permit the removal of any machinery or materials.

A few days ago the sub-contractors procured from the common pleas courts a writ of replevin against the city for the recovery of the machinery. The sheriff's deputies were ordered to go to the Torresdale plant to see that the contractors secured their own.

But meanwhile the department of safety's orders to the police not to permit any removals was continued in force. When the sheriff's deputies appeared the policemen gathered about them. There was a controversy which lasted for an hour or more. When the policemen retired to their posts along the river front the machinery which they were charged to guard and which sheriff's deputies came to see removed was gone—gone as completely as if it had sunk into a hole and drawn the hole in after it.

All the railway tracks in the plant had been watched, but no train had moved it. A black craft, setting very low down, was seen floating boldly past the frowning casements and bristling guns at League Island, but beyond that all trace is lost.

BERRY SELECTS PART OF STAFF FOR HIS OFFICE

Benjamin F. Measey Gets the Cashiership—Selection Is a Personal One.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHESTER, PA., April 12.—State Treasurer-elect William H. Berry announced the following appointments today:

Cashier, Benjamin F. Measey of Ridley Park; other posts, Patrick H. McGrann and John D. Burns of Chester; Samuel Weil of Allentown; George W. Haggerty of Lemoyne, Lancaster county; Charles A. Greer of Altoona; R. S. F. D. Shinka of Berwick, Columbia county; Miss Elizabeth Brigger of Fleming, Centre county, and Dr. A. O. Stone of Volant, Lawrence county.

Mr. Berry says he will retain three of the oldest employes in the state treasurer's office. He will announce them later.

Mr. Measey is secretary and treasurer of the St. Petersburg Trust Company, Philadelphia. He was formerly tax collector of Ridley Park, and was a fellow employe of Mr. Berry while the latter was master mechanic at the Eddystone Print works.

Although there is no question of Mr. Measey's ability to fill the $3,000 position, many Democrats and Lincolnites express the opinion that Mr. Berry failed to properly recognize the parties which elected him by appointing Measey to the chief place. They claim that Measey has always been a staunch Republican and that the appointment was simply a personal one.

The present clerks in the treasury are: Cashier, T. Stewart Pearce, Salisbury, Indiana county; assistant cashier, E. C. Dewey, Clearfield; bond clerk, A. R. H. Morrow, Philadelphia; assistant bond clerk, A. M. Porter, Canonsburg, Washington county; expert bookkeeper, Evan E. Bartleson, Delaware county; corporation clerk, John E. Scott, Chester county; clerks, J. W. Snedden, Greensburg; H. C. Greenewalt, Franklin county; H. S. Leib, Schuylkill county; stenographers, Miss M. Olive Barnett, Westmoreland county, Miss Florence E. Baird, Clinton county; messenger, W. H. Grubes, Delaware county; night watchman, B. P. Thompson, Montgomery county; fireman, James F. Dougherty, Delaware county.

SNAKE SOUNDS WHISTLE; VILLAGERS GET BUSY

Serpent Twines Itself About Sawmill Engine and Town Thinks It's Burning Up.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MARTINSBURG, IND., April 12.—This is a snake story with a double distinction—it is the first of the season, and it is true.

A rattlesnake crawled upon the boiler of the sawmill here some time last night to keep warm. To escape the heat when steam was being raised this morning, the serpent wound itself around the rope attached to the steam whistle. Its weight was sufficient to cause the whistle to blow continuously. The people of the village, thinking the mill was on fire, hurried thither with buckets and found Irving Durnill, the engineer, shaking with fear.

He had seen the snake and was afraid to enter the engine room. Sam Sterling procured a shotgun and killed the reptile, which was three feet in length.

BROWN STRANGELY MISSING.

Leaves Home in Sorrow to Buy Burial Plot and Has Not Since Been Seen.

Wiping away his tears as he left his wife weeping beside the cradle of their dead baby, Joseph J. Brown of Bouquet street, McKeesport, went to St. Joseph's cemetery last Friday morning to buy a burial lot. He has not been seen by his relatives or friends since. He never reached the cemetery and the funeral arrangements were made by others.

Mrs. Brown waited until the next day before burying the child. It died of cerebro-spinal meningitis, and it is thought its sufferings may have unbalanced the father's mind, although Brown seemed to be mentally sound when he left home.

CANOE CLUB'S FIRST OUTING ENDS FATALLY

Physical Director of the Sharpsburg Y. M. C. A. Meets Tragic Death.

BOAT IS CAPSIZED

Two Companions Manage to Gain Shore After Brave Fight for Life.

SURVIVOR TELLS SAD STORY

"Well, goodbye; we may all be drowned."

In jest and with a ringing laugh, three members of the newly-organized canoe club of the Sharpsburg Y. M. C. A. left the sporting goods store of W. S. Brown in Wood street yesterday afternoon, bearing on their shoulders a newly-purchased canoe. An hour later two of the trio were shivering on a wharfboat after narrowly escaping a tragic death, while the body of the third is still at the mercy of the swift current. What was said in jest became, in a measure, a sad reality.

The men were William Ellis Crane, physical director of the Sharpsburg Y. M. C. A.; E. B. Repine of 204 Main street, Sharpsburg, and Robert Cunningham of 1843 Middle street, Sharpsburg. Crane was drowned.

Launch the Little Craft.

The men were members of the new canoe club and called at Brown's store to purchase the first canoe for the organization and paddle it to Sharpsburg. They selected a 16-foot cedar craft and were cautioned by the store keeper that the boat was built for but two.

Carrying the boat to Jordon's swimming school, just above the Sixth street bridge, Repine got into the bow, Cunningham into the waist of the craft, and Crane sat in the stern. Repine and Crane paddled. As the canoe neared the first pier of the Seventh street bridge it became caught in the eddy, and as the occupants made efforts to keep the craft steady they over-balanced it, and with a splash all three were thrown into midstream, where a 12-mile-an-hour current was sweeping everything before it.

Hundreds See the Catastrophe.

Hundreds of pedestrians had watched the movements of the little craft since it had left the shore, and as it capsized a cry of horror went up from the men and women alike. Others were attracted, and in a moment a thousand persons were witnessing the tragedy from the bridge; loudly calling to the rivermen and others gathered about the water front to lend their aid.

All three men were good swimmers and for a time seemed to be making successful efforts to regain the shore. Then the surging tide caught them in its embrace, and for a moment they were lost to sight. Repine was then seen clinging to the over-turned canoe, and has companions again made frantic efforts to gain the shore.

Once out of the mid-stream current, the men were swiftly carried toward the barges of the Second Pool Coal Company under the Sixth street bridge. Cunningham and Repine were washed against the bow of one barge, and Robert A.

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MOUNT STILL SPEWS FORTH GRAY ASHES

Naples Is Being Covered With a Blanket of Dust from Vesuvius' Mouth.

DEATH LIST GROWS

King Watches While Bodies of Victims Are Extricated from the Ruins.

RELIEF WORK INAUGURATED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NAPLES, April 12.—While the news from Mount Vesuvius today is reassuring conditions here in Naples are such as to make it difficult to realize that matters are actually better. The wind is blowing from the volcano in the direction of Naples, carrying the ashes city ward. Toward evening the fall of ashes and cinders here was worse than at any time since the eruption began.

The scenic effects vary from hour to hour. Now in the north the sky is chocolate colored, lowering and heavy, under which men and women with their hair and clothing covered with ashes move about like gray ghosts. Fort San Martino, as it towers above the town, can only just be seen, while Castel Dell'Ovo is boldly marked in light, seeming like silver against the brown sky.

To the south beyond the smoke lies smiling, sunny Posilipo and its peninsula, while far away glistens the sea, a deep blue, on which the islands seem to float in the glow of the setting sun. Adding to the strange picture, one of the French men-of-war which arrived in the bay of Naples today is so placed as to be half in the glow and half obscured by the blot of falling ashes.

Vista One of Desolation.

From the observatory of Mount Vesuvius, where Director Matteucci is continuing his work in behalf of science and humanity, the scene is one of great impressiveness. To reach the observatory one must walk for miles over hardened, but hot lava covered with sand until he comes to a point whence nothing can be seen but vast, gray reaches, sometimes flat and sometimes gathered into huge mounds which take on semblances of human faces. Above, the heavens are gray like the earth beneath and seem just as hard and immovable. In all this waste there is no sign of life or vegetation, and no sound is heard except the low mutterings of the volcano. One seems almost impelled to scream aloud to break the horrible stillness of a land seemingly forgotten both by God and man.

Every day that passes gives new evidence of the magnitude of the catastrophe. Today's visit of King Victor Emmanuel to Ottajano revealed new tragedies. At a certain point his majesty was obliged to abandon his motor car and went forward on horseback amid constant danger, his horse floundering through four feet of ashes, stumbling into holes, blinded by the fall of large cinders and the target for falling basaltic masses.

King Rebukes Timid Priest.

In the presence of the king 129 more bodies were extricated from the ruins, the white ashes and red sand falling as though they were determined not to relinquish their victims. The dead at Ottajano are said to number 650.

The king was deathly pale. To a priest who came to him he said: "How did you escape?"

"I put myself in safety," replied the priest.

"What do you mean?" asked the king.

"Realizing the danger," was the priest's reply, "I had left for Nola."

The king flushed with anger. "What!" he cried. "You, a minister of God, were not here to share the danger of your people and administer the last sacraments? You did very wrong."

The king left Naples early this morning for San Guiseppe, Ottajano and Torre-Igno, in order to ascertain personally the situation at these towns. He hoped to be able to continue his journey to Sarno and Castellammare.

King Affected by Sufferings.

The king inspected all the "camp hospitals" in which the troops are caring for suffering refugees, speaking to the injured, comforting them in their misfortunes and asking them what he could do to relieve their distress.

On receiving a reply indicating a sufferer's desire that something be immediately done in his or her behalf the king gave orders to have the desire fulfilled. This gave rise to many heartrending scenes. As the king bent over a poor man with toil-hardened hands, whose right leg had been amputated, the sufferer, replying to his majesty's question regarding his immediate necessities, said, with tears in his eyes:

"Send me my son, who is serving as a soldier."

The king, who was visibly affected, clasped the man's hand and exclaimed:

"My poor fellow, I can do much, but to grant your request would mean breaking the laws, which I must be the first to respect. I would give anything I have were it possible by so doing to send your son to you, but I cannot do so." There were tears in the king's eyes as he turned away from the sorrowing father's bedside.

Some extraordinary escapes from death have been reported. A man and his four children were rescued after having been lost in the ash-covered wilderness for 36 hours. They were terribly exhausted and

VICTIM OF RIVER CATASTROPHE

Physical Director William Ellis Crane.

seemed more like fire skeletons than human beings.

Firemen have been sent from Palermo, Sicily, and other places to the villages in this vicinity which have suffered the most from the fall of ashes, to assist in removing the ashes from the roofs and relieve the exhausted soldiers. Camp kitchens have been established at a number of places and free meals are being distributed wherever possible to those in need of them.

An incipient riot occurred at Torre Annunziata during the day, due to the fact that the authorities ordered the closing of a church which was considered unsafe. The troops promptly restored order.

At Bosco Trecase thieves during the morning entered some of the houses of the better class of inhabitants in the outskirts of the town and stripped them of everything valuable.

It is noticed that the birds have completely deserted the Vesuvius district. Thousands of them died from suffocation.

Thousands of Homes Are Lost.

A French squadron of three warships arrived here today to express French sympathy with the sufferers and render them assistance. The Neapolitans are very grateful for this action upon the part of the French government.

The latest reports show that 248 houses have been damaged at Portici, 195 at San Giovanni and Teduccio, 432 at Resina and 1,500 at Torre del Greco. It is impossible to determine the exact number of buildings demolished at Torre Annunziata. It is estimated that about 5,000 houses in all have been partly or entirely destroyed. In the villages on the Ottajano side of the mount all the houses are damaged. At Nola desolation reigns, the place having been almost entirely abandoned.

A committee has been formed to collect funds and organize assistance for the relief of the sufferers. It is presided over by the duke of Aosta. The government headed the subscription list with $100,000. The amount collected up to the present time is $300,000.

SPECTACLE OF VESUVIUS STARTS SUDDEN HEGIRA

Hundreds in London Will Spend Easter Week in Vicinity of Naples. Reids Entertain.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LONDON, April 13.—There has been a general exodus from London for the Easter holidays and business here will practically be at a standstill until April 17. The rush of visitors to the continent is quite abnormal and hundreds of them are taking advantage of the holidays to go as far as Naples to see the damage caused by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius.

The court and all the public offices are closed, the cabinet ministers and members of parliament are scattered, and for the best part of the week the streets of this city will present the appearance of a prolonged Sabbath.

Ambassador Reid and Mrs. Reid are entertaining a large house party at Wrest park for Easter. The guests include Lloyd C. Griscom, ambassador to Brazil, and Mrs. Griscom; Mrs. Bronson, Frank Ernest Bille, the Danish minister; the Hon. William A. E. Erskine of the foreign office, the Hon. Neil Primrose, second son of Lord Rosebery; Lord Esme Gordon-Lennox, the secretaries of the embassy and a number of girl friends of Miss Reid.

POLICE DOG CATCHES THIEF.

Colored Fellow Glad to Hesitate When He Feels the Strong Grip of Canine's Teeth.

CINCINNATI, O., April 12.—(Special.)—John Young, a young colored fellow, was convicted of a petty theft in police court this morning and sent to the workhouse for four months. Young was captured by "Handsome," a police dog, kept at the Hammond Street police station, while trying to elude two officers.

Young got beyond the reach of the patrolmen, but "Handsome" took up the chase, overtook the fleeing man, caught him by the trousers and held him until the arrival of the officers. Young was unable to get rid of the dog, and was glad when the men arrived to release him from the brute.

SHOE FILLED WITH CINDERS; FOOT IS BADLY BURNED

Tony Otter, a Slav, of 3306 Butler street, is at the Allegheny General hospital with his right foot badly burned. He works for the West Penn Railway Company and while burning old railroad ties at Herrs Island yesterday afternoon his right foot slipped into the fire and his shoe filled with hot cinders. Before the shoe could be removed he was burned.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, April 12.

NEW YORK—Pennsylvania, Hamburg, Dover and Boulogne; Liguria, Genoa and Naples.

PONTA DELGADA—Prinzessin Victoria Luise, New York for Funchal, Tangier, Gibraltar, etc., and Venice (on cruise.)

LIVERPOOL—Caledonian, Boston for Manchester; Friesland, Philadelphia; Parisian, St. John, N. B., and Halifax via Moville; Teutonic, New York via Queenstown.

GLASGOW—Hibernian, Portland, Maine.

DOVER—Pretoria, New York for Hamburg (and proceeded.)

NAPLES—Piemonte, New York.

BREMEN—Cassel, Baltimore.

MARSEILLES—Massilia, New York.

COPENHAGEN—Oscar II, New York via Christiansand.

VICTORIA, B. C.—Moana, Sydney, Brisbane, Suva and Honolulu.

BOSTON—Ivernia, Liverpool and Queenstown.

HALIFAX, N. S.—Corinthian, Glasgow for Boston.

Sailed, April 12.

NEW YORK—La Lorraine, Havre; Chemnitz, Bremen; Helig Olav, Christiansand and Copenhagen.

NAPLES—Louisiana, Genoa for New York; Ilse, Romanic (from Genoa and Palermo), Boston via Ponta Delgada.

LONDON—Minneapolis, New York.

QUEENSTOWN—Oceanic (from Liverpool), New York.

Passed, April 12.

CAPE RACE—Steamer Columbia, Glasgow and Moville for New York, in communication with Marconi station here, when 120 miles south at 6 p. m.; will dock noon Sunday.

SHOW HEAD—Steamer Ryndam, New York for Boulogne and Rotterdam, 124 miles southwest 10:30 a. m.; will reach Boulogne 8 a. m., Friday.

BEACHY HEAD—Marquette, Boston and Philadelphia for London and Antwerp.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—"The Prince of India," 8 p. m.

PELASCO—"Before and After," 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—"Me, Him and I," 8:15 p. m.

GRAND—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Van Bleene and Mlle Tracey, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

GAYETY—Harry Bryant's Burlesquers and Mlle Ani, 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"Chinatown Charlie," 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Kathryn Purnell in "Faust," at 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Alcazar Beauties, 2 and 8 p. m.

WINDSOR AVENUE GROUNDS, corner Penn avenue, East End—The Carl Hagenbeck Greater Shows at 2 and 8 p. m.

EAST LIBERTY BRANCH CARNEGIE LIBRARY—Third People's Free Concerts by the Mendelssohn Trio, with Gertrude Clark, soprano, as soloist, 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA SINGER RETURNS FROM EUROPE

BEAVER, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Word has just reached here tonight that Miss Florence Wickham, daughter of the late Superior Court Judge J. J. Wickham, who sang the part of Kundry in "Parsifal" with the Savage grand opera company last year, and who has just completed a successful tour of Europe, arrived in New York today and will return to her home here. Music-lovers of this place will likely tender her a reception.

Easter Diamonds.

We have a special display of Diamond Rings, Brooches, Pendants, Studs, Necklaces, etc., for Easter. You are always welcome to call and inspect our Gems. Sam T. Nye, Diamond Merchant, Schmidt building, second floor, 339 Fifth avenue. Store open Saturday evenings.

MINERS REFUSE TO ARBITRATE

Wage Workers and Operators End Their New York Conference Without Agreeing.

FAVOR STRIKE COMMISSION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 12.—At the meeting of the sub-committees of the anthracite mine workers and operators here today, the representatives of the employes offered the mine owners the choice of two propositions in their endeavor to come to an amicable agreement, and the employers made an informal reply in which they intimated they are not likely to accept either of the wage workers' offers. The operators will make an official answer to the miners' latest proposition by letter and there will be no further meetings until something develops. While there is still hope a peaceful solution of the controversy will be found, the meeting today did not bring the contending parties closer together; in fact they appear to have almost reached the limit of their negotiations. If the operators should decline to entertain either of the propositions submitted by the miners today it is probable a convention of miners will be called at which the delegates will declare a strike exists.

Briefly stated the offer made by President Mitchell today was a resubmission of the miners' original demands with two amendments and in case they are not accepted he proposes the whole controversy be placed before the strike commission.

Reference to Union is Dropped.

In one of the amendments to the original demands President Mitchell drops the request for the recognition of the union and provides the proposed agreement be made between the operators and the anthracite mine workers instead of the United Mine Workers of America. The other amendment provides that only employes who are willing, shall be assessed a certain sum each month to defray the expenses of carrying out the proposed check off agreement instead of union and non-union men being called upon to contribute.

If the operators will not accept the original demands as amended, the miners propose that they (the original demands as amended) and the operators first proposition, which provides for a renewal for three years of the award of the anthracite strike commission, be referred for arbitrament to the strike commission. Thus the miners drop their second offer which provided for arbitration by the conciliation board and ignore the operators' second proposition with the exception of the strike commission feature, which they accept.

Operators Are Disappointed.

After President Mitchell, as chairman of the miners' sub-committee, had finished reading the miners' answer, the operators withdrew and discussed the communication for about 10 minutes. Upon their return, President Baer, as chairman of the operators' committee made this reply: "We regret you have not accepted our propositions. We do not feel that we can modify them. We will hereafter answer your communication of this date by letter, or if you desire a further meeting the time can be arranged now or be hereafter fixed by the respective chairmen."

After the conference had adjourned none of the participants would discuss the developments of the meeting except President Truesdale of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad. When he was asked to explain Chairman Baer's brief statement he said it could be accepted as meaning the operators stand absolutely by their counter proposition submitted on Tuesday. As the situation stands now, Mr. Truesdale thought it was not too much to say that negotiations between the operators and the miners had practically been suspended.

Scale Committee Meets.

At his headquarters after the meeting President Mitchell confirmed the interpretation that the first amendment to his original demands eliminates the request for the recognition of his union. Technically Mr. Mitchell and his colleagues are not appearing before the operators as officers of the United Mine Workers of America, but as representatives of the anthracite mine workers. This was also their status before the strike commission in 1902-03.

The general scale committee of the miners held a brief session in the afternoon and after the adjournment they left for home to await developments and look after the affairs of the organization. It is probable the members of the general committee will address the idle miners in their local unions, giving them a report of the progress of negotiation.

There was no call for a convention of the anthracite miners until after the operators make answer to the mine workers and not then if the reply of the coal companies is favorable. It is said the operators will wait until after next Tuesday when the international executive board of the miners' union meets at Indianapolis before making a reply in order to learn what action the board will take with regard to the proposition made by the bituminous operators of Ohio to arbitrate the matters in dispute between them and the striking miners in that state.

President Mitchell will close headquarters here, probably on Sunday and go direct to Indianapolis.

Do Not Abandon Hope.

SCRANTON, PA., April 12.—While not unexpected, the positive announcement that the operators would not modify their proposition after it had been rejected by the miners, had the effect here of dampening the hope of an amicable adjustment of the dispute, and changing the general tenor of the talk from peace possibilities to strike probabilities. All hope of a settlement by negotiation, however, have not been abandoned. It is thought that it is still possible that some acceptable way will be found to make the two propositions dovetail.

Two of the largest companies are making fairly good headway according to their superintendents' claims in the matter of getting out coal. The Erie claims to have enough men at work in the Barnum and No. 2, to keep the breakers running and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western alleges it has three breakers, the Brisbin, Bellevue and Cayuga, running, and that at the Bellevue, which has a normal capacity of 500 tons, the output today was 359 tons.

Pump Question a Serious One.

ATHENS, O., April 12.—The Sunday Creek Coal Company, the largest in the Hocking valley and other companies that will not sign the 1903 scale are much disturbed over the action of the miners in deciding that all pumpmen who are not paid the 1903 scale must not go to work in the mines and the firemen and engineers must not make steam for the mine boss to run the pumps. Sub-District President Moore opposes the action and it is said that if the pumpmen are ordered out it will be by the action of the state authorities and not the sub-district officers.

CLEARFIELD, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—The joint conference of the operators and miners' scale committee for the Central Pennsylvania coal field adjourned this evening to meet in Clearfield, on Tuesday, April 24. Very little progress toward an agreement was made at any of the several sessions held Tuesday, yesterday and today.

SOMERSET, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—The strike situation at Windber, where 5,000 Berwind-White Coal A Mining Company miners are out, has not changed materially in the last 24 hours. The strikers held a meeting today and decided to fight to a finish. They agreed to make no further effort toward an adjustment.

Will Return to Their Work.

GREENSBURG, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—The breaking of the strike at Penn station ends all trouble between miners and operators in Westmoreland county. At a meeting of the local union at Penn today the miners to a man voted to return to work. A majority will go into the pits tomorrow. Others will wait until Monday. The serving of the injunction writ by the sheriff yesterday and today had the expected result. Both Edna No. 1 and No. 2 mines will work full on Saturday.

WILKES-BARRE, PA., April 12.—A party of workmen employed at the Franklin colliery, operated by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company in this city were stoned tonight by a mob that was in waiting when the men quit work. The state police were notified, but arrived when the disturbance was over. Two men, Andrew Depretz, a Pole, and Ceasar Montcell, a Venetian, the ring leaders, were arrested and in default of bail were sent to the county prison.

JUDGES GRANT DECREES FIRST OF THEIR KIND

Order Pennsylvania Railroad to Give Access to Their Books to Attorneys Suing Company for Alleged Rebate Discrimination.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—In three decrees handed down by Judges McPherson and Holland in the United States circuit court today the Pennsylvania railroad was ordered to produce and allow the inspection of books and papers necessary for the preparation of the rebate discrimination suits brought by the Mitchell Coal and Coke Company, Webster Coal and Coke Company and the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company.

These documents are to be accessible at the Pennsylvania railroad office in this city, beginning April 16, and are to remain there until the coal companies' attorneys have concluded their inspection.

Notwithstanding the many applications made for the production of documents in the rebate discrimination suits pending in both the federal and common pleas court, the decrees of yesterday are the first of their kind to be handed down against the Pennsylvania road.

The orders are specific and call for the production of all books, papers and writings showing transactions between the periods named by the plaintiffs, which show any rebate, drawbacks or other compensation whatsoever, either in money or property, and also documents relating to transactions between the Pennsylvania company and the Altoona Coal and Coke Company, General White Coal and Coke Company, Millwood Coal Company, Latrobe Coal and Coke Company, Bolivar Coal and Coke Company, and the Columbia Coal Mining Company, concerns said to have been favored with unlawful rebates.

CANOE CLUB OUTING FATAL

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Wagner, an employe, managed to lift them aboard.

Crane Sinks for Last Time.

Meanwhile, Crane, who, despite the swift current, still retained his eyeglasses as he battled for life, was being carried toward another barge and a crowd of spectators ran over the fleet of coal boats to lend him assistance. Before he could gain reaching distance he was carried under water and did not reappear until he was again carried out about 50 feet.

Ashworth called to the crew of the steamer Return to throw out life-lines, but before they could do this Crane sank for the last time. At a late hour last night the body had not been recovered. The directors of the Y. M. C. A. last night ordered that no expense be spared in searching for Crane's body and decided to offer a reward for its recovery. Repine and Cunningham were taken to the offices of the coal company and gained warmth from a fire built for them. Meanwhile clothing was brought from their homes, but they were inconsolable over the loss of their companion. The canoe was also washed ashore beside the coal barges.

Came from Massachusetts.

Crane was 28 years old and previous to his arrival in Sharpsburg last fall, was employed as a salesman. He was a native of Southbridge, Mass., and was an expert boxer and trainer of athletes. His father, G. B. Crane of Southbridge, survives him, as does a sister who resides in Boston. He made his home at 613 Main street since locating in Sharpsburg.

When seen shortly after his rescue, Cunningham gave the following account of the tragedy:

"We had just paddled up to the first pier of the Seventh street bridge when the canoe was caught in an eddy and overturned. Crane and Repine started to swim to the shore. Both were strong swimmers, but the current swept them back into the river. The canoe was swept under by the current, and I started to swim down stream. The canoe came up again and I saw Repine clinging to it. I yelled to Crane to get the canoe. His head was then out of water and he was swimming strongly.

Still Wore His Glasses.

"I noticed that his glasses were on him. I saw he needed help, but I could not reach him. Repine was swimming with the current and clinging to the canoe, and I again yelled to Crane to get the canoe. As I reached the coal barges below the Sixth street bridge I made a spring and succeeded in grasping a sunken part of the barge. Repine missed when Robert Wagner grabbed him by the wrist, as he was being swept under the barge. Crane was swept under the barge and carried for almost 90 feet. When he came out he started to swim, but I think he was exhausted, and went down for the last time about the foot of Fifth street."

BULLET WOUND IS FATAL.

Yankovickas Dies in Hospital but Exonerates His Friend—Allegheny Man Takes Overdose of Morphine.

William Yankovickas, a Slav laborer, aged 22, of Watkins avenue, Wilmerding, died at the McKeesport hospital yesterday morning as the result of a bullet wound inflicted accidentally by his friend, George Rachovich, at the home of Yankovickas on March 5. Rachovich was arrested, but was later released, as the wounded man repeatedly declared him to be innocent.

Harry Coller, aged 56, a laborer, 1236 East street, Allegheny, died yesterday from the effects of an overdose of morphine. The drug had been purchased as medicine for his wife, who is ill, and Coller is said to have taken it to quiet his nerves.

James Kennedy, aged 18, of River Hill, West End, employed as a hester boy by the Schoen Pressed Steel Car Company, McKees Rocks, was instantly killed while at work yesterday afternoon. He was lowering a frame on a crane when the frame struck another car, and turning, crushed the lad between the two.

New Silica Sand Company.

Pittsburgh capital is behind the Brinkhaven Silica Sand Company, which will be incorporated this week under the laws of New Jersey, with a capital stock of $50,000. It is the intention of the company to develop silica sand properties at Brinkhaven, O., one of which has been optioned by D. B. Neagley of this city, and adjoins property of the West Virginia Silica Block Company. The incorporators are E. L. Kern and A. Muernberg of Pittsburgh, and T. J. Kitchin of New Jersey.

Size Responsible for Man's Injury.

As the result of his shortness of stature P. D. Nichols is now suffering from a broken leg, received while attempting to enter an elevator in the Peoples Savings Bank building, yesterday. A tall man was in front of Nichols and as a consequence the elevator boy did not see him and closed the elevator door just as he was attempting to enter. The injured man was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

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NEW YORKER MARRIES GIRL WORTH MILLIONS

W. H. Conklin Weds a Rich Cincinnati Heiress While the Two Are in Rome.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 12.—Announcement of the marriage of W. H. Peter Conklin of Green Point, a member of a well-known family of that section, and Miss Iola Schmidlapp, daughter of the late Charles Schmidlapp, a Cincinnati brewer, and the possessor of $5,000,000, is expected tomorrow by Green Point friends of Mr. Conklin. Arrngements for the ceremony had been made and it was to have been solemnized in Rome on Wednesday.

George H. Conklin, father of the young man, said today if the couple had not been detained in Naples, owing to the eruption of Mount Vesuvius, their romance has had a happy termination. The ceremony, as arranged, was to have been performed in a Presbyterian church in Rome by the Rev. Dr. Gray.

Mr. Conklin is a Cornell graduate, and it was during his college life he first met Miss Schmidlapp. She went abroad several months ago to complete her musical education. Soon after her departure Mr. Conklin's health failed.

He at once started for Rome, where he joined Miss Schmidlapp, who was there with her mother. Within a fortnight he sent word to Brooklyn that he had won the Cincinnati heiress and that they would be married on April 11. Miss Schmidlapp is entitled to a half interest in the estate of her father, who died five years ago, leaving $10,000,000.

WASHINGTON ENDS HER TRIAL.

Big Armored Cruiser Completes Four Hour Endurance Run on New England Coast.

BOSTON, April 12.—The armored cruiser Washington successfully completed her official speed trial today with a four-hour endurance run along the New England coast, during which she maintained an average speed of 22.272 knots an hour. The contract speed of the Washington was 22 knots an hour.

In her trials on Wednesday the big cruiser made one spurt over the mile at the rate of 25.292 knots an hour, and averaged 22.408 knots an hour for the 14 runs, with tidal corrections. It was decided today to keep the vessel's speed at 22½ knots an hour and the resolutions were kept at 122.7 per minute for the four hours. The weather and sea conditions today were favorable.

DOES NOT WANT HIGH PRICE.

Deleware & Hudson Railroad Wants to Sell Piece of Land for Small Sum of $5.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—Among offers o fsites for the hospital for the criminal insane authorized by the last session of the legislature is one from the Delaware & Hudson railroad at Far View, between Scranton and Honesdale, of 150 acres for $5. The proposals were opened today in the office of Speaker Walton, president of the commission. They offer ground, ranging from gifts to prices beyond the amount of the appropriation.

The Delaware & Hudson's site is on a mountain. Other proposals suggest land in Schuylkill, Lawrence Bucks and Chester counties. Fourteen other bids were received.

W. U. P. IS DEFEATED.

Wooster Wins in Debate With Orators from Allegheny on Question of Wide Scope.

WOOSTER, O., April 12.—(Special.)—Wooster won tonight in the debate with a team representing the Western University of Pennsylvania on the question, "Resolved, That the United States Government Should Exercise Control Over the Formation and Operation of All Corporations Engaged in Interstate Commerce."

The judges were the Hon. George B. Caldwell of Wheeling W. Va.; Prof. Temple of Washington and Jefferson college, Washington, Pa., and Prof. Hammond of Columbus, O. The members of the winning team were Clinton R. D. Wingert and A. O. Caldwell.

Noted Philanthropist Dies.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12. John Y. Huber of this city, president of the Keebler-Weyl Baking Company, and a noted philanthropist, died at Atlantic City today. Mr. Huber was 67 years of age. He was one of the commission which organized the relief fund for the Johnstown flood sufferers and also guaranteed the payment for the shipload of flour which was sent to Russia during the famine in that country.

Organize New Company.

The National Plumbing and Heating Company has just been organized under the laws of Pennsylvania with a capitalization of $25,000, and has established headquarters in the Farmers bank building. Directors of the company are George M. Hosack, William J. Bergens, J. L. Stewart, William S. Burchfield and Roger Knox. W. J. Bergens, the president, and J. L. Stewart, secretary, were formerly connected with the Weldon & Kelley Company.

Sister Plays Wedding March.

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Miller of South avenue, Wilkinsburg, Miss Anna Miller became the bride last evening of Carleton Starkey of Indianapolis. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Lewis Robb, pastor of the Wilkinsburg Trinity Reformed church. There were no attendants. The bride, who wore a gown of white net over white silk, was given away by her father. Her sister, Miss Sarah Miller, played the wedding march. Mr. and Mrs. Starkey, after the reception, left for Mansfield, O., where they will live.

Reception for New Pastor.

The Second Presbyterian church, Wilkinsburg, last night tendered a reception to its new pastor, the Rev. George W. Mead, formerly of Newport, R. I., Mrs. Mead and 25 new members. Mr. Mead accepted the pastorate and is the first permanent pastor of the church since it was founded two and a half years ago.

COMMITTEE WILL INSTITUTE SUITS

Reform Body Promises None Shall Escape Whose Criminal Culpability Is Shown.

GORDON'S WEAK REPLY

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, April 12.

The executive committee of the committee of seventy announced this evening that it will step into the breach and take up the prosecution of the criminal suits against the filtration contracting combine which have been abandoned by Mayor Weaver and his former private counsel, ex-Judge James Gay Gordon.

The committee issued a statement this evening saying that, as the result of the suggestion made by District Attorney Bell, in his statement on Wednesday night, it would call upon the mayor and Mr. Gordon to give to its lawyers all the evidence bearing upon the alleged criminal conspiracy charged in connection with the filtration work. With this evidence in hand the committee declared the lawyers will decide whether the evidence is sufficient to warrant the arrests.

But the committee makes it plain that its policy is different from that pursued by the mayor and Mr. Gordon prior to their abandonment of the entire matter. It will not swear out warrants for some of the members of the firm and the city officers who handled the contracts and let others go on the ground that the statute of limitations has run against them.

The committee without mentioning names makes it evident that if arrests are made, John M. Mack and Israel W. Durham will be among the number, which would have occurred had Gordon and Weaver started the suits. The committee says that even if it is plain that the statute of limitations can be pleaded the defendant will have to make the plea for himself.

The committee is anxious to get the evidence right away so that there shall be no further delay in the matter.

Ex-Judge Gordon came out with another statement today in an effort to reply to the one made by District Attorney Bell. Mr. Gordon's letter has aroused considerable comment. The reason for this is that it appears remarkably lacking in strength of argument and in the sarcasm which has always been one of the notable features of the judge's literary efforts when discussing public questions. The striking feature of the document is the employment of certain metaphors which do not appeal very strongly to the rugged man. For instance, here is an excerpt:

"From the moment Mr. Gibboney secured for me access to the public prosecutor's ear I laid siege to both his heart and his understanding. No suitor ever pursued the lady of his choice with greater ardor and persistency. I used with the public prosecutor the persuasion of every argument I could command, and wooed him with every social amenity that I might marry him to my cause. I wrestled with him—to change the metaphor—I wrestled with him as did Jacob with the angel, and would not let him go until I had at least obtained a partial blessing in the form of the promise, subsequently retracted, to appear with me at the institution of the criminal proceedings."

Instead of being taken as a reply to Mr. Bell, the letter of Mr. Gordon, which appeared in the evening papers, was viewed more in the light of a bit of risque reading matter, on account of the romantic metaphors and the way in which the former member of the bench likened himself to Jacob wrestling in nakedness.

REVIVAL DISAPPOINTS ENGLISH EVANGELISTS

Dr Torrey Says Christian Ministers of Philadelphia Have Not Prayed for Him

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—That Torrey and Alexander's services during the last two weeks, have not been a success and that the Christian ministers and evangelists by not supporting the mission with their prayers, have prevented a revival that might easily have made 50,000 converts, was the burden of Dr. Torrey's address at his afternoon meeting today.

Dr. Torrey, without bitterness and yet in tones which showed clearly that he is deeply disappointed in the result of his present mission, said that although Philadelphia people profess to want a revival they are unwilling to pay for it or to aid.

He spoke of the lack of prayerful support on the part of the Christians as the great reason for the poor audiences which have been greeting him recently and he stated emphatically that tomorrow, Good Friday, the day set apart for prayer and reconsecration, marks a crisis in the Philadelphia mission.

As Dr. Torrey finished his remarks he closed his eyes, raised his face, and prayed: "O Lord, some of us desire a revival, but we are unwilling to pay for it. O Lord, we cannot help but believe that Thou will bless Philadelphia yet. But the time is so short."

STEALS FOR HIS DOG'S SAKE.

New York Boy Sells His Mother's Cook Stove to Feed His Big Brown Mongrel.

NEW YORK, April 12.—(Special.)—A boy who sells his mother's stove to buy fancy steaks for a big brown mongrel which he loves beyond anything in the world should be a psychological study in the development of wickedness. He is Jacob Koenig, 13 years old, and his mother told the magistrate in Yorkville court today he is the worst boy she ever heard of in this city.

He has been bad from infancy, his parent says, doesn't care anything for her and when she crosses him threatens to set the dog upon her.

"I t'ink a hull lot more o' me dorg dan I do o' me mudder," he said when an agent for the Children's society arraigned him in court today. "Jakey's me good fren' an' me mudder allus yammerin about somethin'. Sure, I sold her stove, fer de dorg was hungry, an' gee! he's got an appetite."

Seek Information of Relatives.

A message was received yesterday by Superintendent of Police McQuaide from R. D. Walker, coroner at Columbia, S. C., requesting that an effort be made to locate the relatives of W. D. Allen, a carpenter, who died recently in that town and whose family is supposed to live in Pittsburgh. A letter was also received from E. W. Winn of Pueblo, Colo., requesting that an effort be made to find his brother, John L., who at one time was in the employ of the Pittsburgh Railways Company in this city.

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DOWIE SAYS HE WILL NOT GIVE UP

Complete Retraction Is Made of Statements Issued by Attorneys on Wednesday.

TO CONTINUE LEGAL FIGHT

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 12.—John Alexander Dowie will not give up his leadership of the Christian Catholic church and return to Mexico. He will wage a vigorous legal warfare to regain control of Zion City, and later will go to Zion City and proclaim himself the only "First Apostle." This statement was authorized tonight by Dowie himself, and by the lawyers who represent him.

Attorney P. C. Haley of Eddy, Haley & Wetten, who represent Dowie and his counsellors tonight, said: "We have advanced, and will advance, only one condition: Complete restoration of power, temporal as well as ecclesiastical, and a demand for an absolute retraction of the slanderous statements made by General Overseer W. Glenn Voliva and his followers against the moral character of Dowie.

"We are preparing a bill in chancery, petitioning the courts to set aside the transfer of the property at Zion City, made between General Overseer Voliva and Deacon Alexander Granger because the instrument was absolutely void. Dowie revoked Voliva's power of attorney two days before the illegal transfer was made.

"Dowie will not immediately proceed to Zion City, but will remain in his apartments at the Auditorium Annex until every preliminary legal step has been taken. He will then proceed to Zion City and enter it with all of the power and authority which he possessed when he last left the place."

Dr. Dowie has secured an order from the postal department directing that all mail addressed to Dowie be delivered to him in Chicago. This, it is said, will checkmate the general order sent out by Voliva ordering that no moneys be remitted to Dowie, hereafter.

Dowie was today deserted by his personal attendant, David Murdock, who has been with him for years. Murdock returned to Zion City last night and today sent a telegram to Dowie declaring allegiance to Voliva. Murdock said his father had gone over to Voliva.

ZION CITY, ILL., April 12.—"When a man and his wife have quarreled and the wife later comes asking for an interview it means something," said Overseer Voliva today.

He had been urged to give the result of yesterday's conference with Attorney Wetten, representing John Alexander Dowie. He replied as above, adding that the reporters could draw their own conclusions.

"Mr. Wetten and I agreed before the conference was over that nothing should be given to the press," said Mr. Voliva, "and although he seems to have talked, it does not relieve me of my pledge."

The impression seems to prevail here that if Dowie listens to advice being given him by his own friends now with him in Chicago he will give up the fight.

DETROIT, MICH., April 12.—A special from Muskegon, Mich., says: In the lofty stand where in years past John Alexander Dowie with great pomp and ceremony delivered impassioned addresses to thousands assembled at Ben Mac Dhui, the splendid summer home of the former ruler of Zion City, an auctioneer today waved his hammer and sold for a paltry $2,500 expensive furniture and fittings of Dowie's White lake establishment.

It is estimated that the property sold today was worth $20,000. Ben Mac Dhui was included in the property which the Voliva faction of Zion City recently took over through power of attorney given by Dowie before the revolt.

MILLERS WANT A CHANGE.

Ohio State Association Seeks to Have Revision of Government Wheat Report.

COLUMBUS, April 12.—At the closing session of the second annual convention of the Ohio Millers' State association today, after a two days' meeting at the Great Southern hotel, resolutions were offered and adopted asking for a revision and modification of the government crop report.

It asks that the estimates of growing wheat as now published April 1 and May 1 be abandoned and declared that more accurate statistics of December 1 and a revision of the same on May 1 are possible of attainment.

TORNADO STRIKES TOWN AND INJURES SEVERAL

WICHITA, KAN., April 12.—A special says that a tornado occurred this evening at Stafford. Several persons were injured, seven houses were destroyed and many other buildings were damaged.

Elect Directors for Suburban Hospital.

The annual meeting of the board of directors of the Suburban hospital of Bellevue was held last night. The reports of the president, secretary and treasurer were read and the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: L. K. Porter, Alexander Hamilton, Dr. W. W. McCleary, T. J. Hayworth and A. M. Kirker. The first three were members of the old board.

Car Takes Fire At Busy Corner.

Car 288 of the Woods Run line, caught fire about 6:30 last evening near Federal and Isabella streets, Allegheny. The fire is supposed to have started from crossed wires in the motor. Considerable excitement prevailed among the passengers for a time, but there was no damage done.

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PITTSBURGH, PA.

SLIDING BOARD FOR J. J. KIRBY

Mayor Guthrie Is Said to Have Given the Police Magistrate Notice of Removal.

TWO DEMOCRATS GET JOBS

Mayor Guthrie is now turning his attention to the police magistrates, and within the next week several changes are slated to occur in this department. J. J. Kirby, presiding at Central station, is reported to have received notice that his services will not be needed after Sunday.

Kirby is an alderman in the Ninth ward and the Democratic boss of the ward. He was appointed magistrate during the Hays administration. A year or more ago it was expected that he would be discharged, but Hays permitted him to continue in office. While some of the Democratic bosses are said to have promised him a reappointment if he supported Guthrie, it is understood the new mayor does not intend to deliver the goods.

The dismissal of Kirby will probably mean that but one of the present magistrates will be retained. Magistrate Kane, who is a lawyer, has had a good record in the office, and it is generally believed the mayor will not disturb him. He has charge of the Lawrenceville district. On the South Side the people are hopeful Mayor Guthrie will appoint a competent magistrate for that district.

The Democrats were given two jobs yesterday. Robert J. Daley of the Thirty-seventh ward, was appointed superintendent of the bureau of electricity to succeed J. A. Herron, who was removed. F. M. O'Leary of the Fourteenth ward, a son of Timothy O'Leary, was named as a rodman in the bureau of construction. Director Ridgeway, who named Daley, appreciates the humor in the local Democratic situation, as he made this statement when he appointed the new superintendent:

It would be a great pleasure to me to have the good Democrats sit up and take notice and rejoice accordingly that this appointment to one of the most responsible bureaus within the gift of the administration was made entirely on merit and it has been one of the most pleasant duties I have had to do since I have been director.

Daley came to Pittsburgh in 1876. He was then with the Western Union Telegraph Company. Later he was general foreman for the Postal company. While with the Allegheny Light Company he installed the first electric lights in the city. For several years he has been chief wire inspector for the board of fire underwriters. He is also a member of the board's committee of rules. Daley has always been an active Democrat. He has taken charge of the bureau. Herron refused to resign and Ridgway promptly removed him. Herron was appointed by his relative, ex-Mayor Hays.

At a meeting of the First ward Republican committee of Allegheny last night Dr. Herman W. Hechelman was indorsed as a candidate for senator from the Forty-second senatorial district, which comprises Allegheny city. The Third, Fourth, Seventh, Eighth and Thirteenth wards have already indorsed Dr. Henchelman's candidacy, and it is probable the Twelfth will fall in line.

The Hechelman boom was started by his friends several days ago, among them being Treasurer Richard M. Kopp. Senator John H. Goehring's term expires this year, and it is almost certain that he will be a candidate for re-election.

ENTERPRISE BANK CASE COMES UP IN TWO PHASES

Lemert S. Cook Gives Bail for Court. Suit to Recover Share of Deal Make by Clark.

Lemert S. Cook, the East End real estate man, who was to have a continuation of his hearing on a charge of conspiring with T. Lee Clark to abstract and misapply funds of the Enterprise bank yesterday morning, waived a further hearing and gave $5,000 bail for court. This completes the preliminary hearings of the six defendants arrested in connection with the wrecking of the bank. Five waived hearings and are held for court, while one went to a hearing and was held.

The names of Clark and Joseph Hastings, also deceased, figure in an equity suit entered yesterday by the Dollar Savings Fund and Trust Company, administrator for Clark, against the Union Trust Company, assignee for Hastings. The suit is the result of a stock deal between the two men, and the defendant asks for an accounting from the plaintiff. It is said that prior to Clark's death he and Hastings bought shares of the Pittsburgh Vein Coal Company and the Pittsburgh Steam Coal Company, paying for them share and share alike. The stock was issued in Hastings' name, and after Clark's death and the failure of the bank he made an assignment, the stock bringing $10,581.70. The plaintiff company demanded the proceeds of half the stock, claiming it was being held in trust by Hastings for Clark, but the defendant company refused.

NURSES ARE GRADUATED.

Thirteen Young Women Receive Their Diplomas from Training School of the Homeopathic Hospital.

Thirteen young women were graduated last night from the Homeopathic hospital training school for nurses. The exercises were held in the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, which was decorated with palms and plants and was well filled with relatives and friends of the graduates. The class colors, red and white, predominated.

Dr. L. H. Willard, dean of the faculty, gave a brief history of the school and told of the successes of the 183 graduates which it has to its credit. He urged legislation giving the title of "registered nurse" to those who had passed examination after three years' training, to distinguish them from correspondence school nurses and others. John Francis, postmaster of Allegheny, delivered an address on "Life," while Dr. E. R. Gregg delivered the valedictory.

Those graduating were as follows: Misses Madge I. Izenour, Wilma S. Koesel, Emma E. Krohn, Alice Kuhn, Laura L. Moyes, Edna D. Williams, Jane B. Logan, Rachel T. Hughes, Mary E. Carroll, Margaret F. C. Carlyle, Alice M. Kittell, Laura Q. Simmons and Sara I. Brown.

STATE LOSES NOTHING.

Gov. Pennypacker Issues Statement on Settlement of the Enterprise Bank Account.

HARRISBURG, PA., April 12.—Gov. Pennypacker issued an official statement today announcing that the commonwealth of Pennsylvania has recovered all the public funds, amounting to $1,030,000, on deposit in the Enterprise National bank of Allegheny at the time of its failure. In his statement he says:

"The deposit of $1,030,000 in the Enterprise National bank which failed on the 18th day of October, 1905, together with interest, $14,343.16, has been paid into the treasury of the commonwealth and in behalf of the people of Pennsylvania I thank the state treasurer for the care with which this deposit, when made, was safeguarded, and for the promptness with which it has been collected."

Director Swan Gets Parks Ready.

The Allegheny parks have now begun to put on their spring appearance. Director of Public Works Swan had a force of men yesterday trimming the trees and getting the lawns in condition. Others were busy hauling the benches into place along the walks and a number of people took advantage of the spring weather to occupy them yesterday afternoon.

You can always depend upon it. Pilene positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

POSTMASTERSHIP FIGHT MAY SOON BE SETTLED

Pittsburgh Congressmen Have About Concluded to Name Candidate in Advance of Greater Pittsburgh—Dilworth Presents His Claims.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Dewitt Dilworth, who is a candidate for appointment as postmaster at Pittsburgh, had a conference today with Representatives Dalzell, Burke and Barchfeld. Mr. Dilworth presented his indorsements and laid before the congressmen his claim to the office. As was the case with the other candidates who have come here, the congressmen gave Mr. Dilworth assurances that his application would be duly considered when they take up the matter of the postmastership, but they said nothing to indicate that he is the man who will be decided upon.

It is now believed that Messrs. Burke, Barchfeld and Dalzell will hold a conference in the near future and decide the postmastership question rather than hold it open until the Greater Pittsburgh bill has been tested in the courts. It was their desire to have this question of the greater city settled first, but there are so many candidates for postmaster in the field that they now feel it will be better for them as well as for all others concerned to have the matter settled as soon as possible.

Senator Knox has indicated very clearly to those who have talked with him that he will pursue the policy he outlined at the beginning of the session, to the effect that he would leave the matter wholly to the congressmen and take no hand in the selection of a postmaster unless it was shown that they were unable to agree upon a man. In the latter event he would be compelled to make a recommendation, but that is not considered likely, as it is apparent that the congressmen will reach an agreement. Representative Burke left this evening for Pittsburgh, where he will remain until Sunday.

Suspect Striking Miners.

HUNTINGDON, PA., April 12.—The tipple and scales at the mine of the Rocky Ridge Coal and Mineral Company, near Robertsdale, this county, were burned last night. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin. The miners of the company have been on a strike for some time.

Little Girl Is Hit by Car.

Lucy Staley, aged 12 years, of 513 Neville street, was struck by a Center and Larimer avenue car at Center and Morewood avenues yesterday. She had her right wrist broken and was injured about the body. She was removed to her home. The child is not seriously injured.

FORDING SYNDICATE IS GRANTED CHARTER

Governor Approves Request for Subway Rights and Much Litigation Is Expected.

The announcement received here yesterday that Gov. Pennypacker had approved the charter asked by the Fording-Morse syndicate for the construction of a subway in the downtown section of Pittsburgh, forecasts an early realization of the fight between the rival companies for subway rights.

The Flinn interests received a charter under the tunnel act some months ago, and claim that the route designated by the Fording-Morse syndicate conflicts with its route. The latter secured its charter under the underground railway act, and claims that the Flinn interests will have no legal right to construct an underground railway on a charter secured under the tunnel act. This question will eventually have to be threshed out in the courts.

Steps will shortly be taken by the Fording-Morse interests to obtain a franchise for city councils for their proposed subway, the route for which is given as beginning at Smithfield street and Oliver avenue, along Oliver to Liberty, to Ferry, to Third avenue, to Smithfield street. It is expected that Mayor Guthrie's inaugural address, which included a reference to the advisability of city ownership of subways, may have some influence upon councils in considering the proposed franchise, but the claim is made that municipal ownership is impossible until some necessary legislation is procured.

It has been claimed on behalf of the Flinn charter that it will not be necessary to procure city franchises to build this proposed line, and that the provisions of the tunnel act under which this charter was granted makes municipal procedure unnecessary because the route of city streets will not have to be followed in constructing the proposed tunnel by these interests. The opposition claims that a city franchise will be necessary, and it is rumored that a fight will be made on this point as well as upon the other legal contentions involved.

EMPEROR SEES STORER.

Retiring Ambassador to Austria-Hungary Has Favor of Francis Joseph in Saying Adieu.

VIENNA, April 12.—Emperor Francis Joseph this afternoon privately received the retiring American ambassador, Bellamy Storer. Mr. Storer, at the special request of the foreign office, did not wear evening clothes, but was dressed in an ordinary day suit so as to emphasize the unofficial character of the audience.

The emperor congratulated Mr. Storer on the excellent relations which he had established with the Austro-Hungarian foreign ministry and assured him that he was leaving many cordial friends in Vienna. The emperor also expressed his personal regret at Mr. Storer's departure. The audience lasted 20 minutes. Doubtless before Mr. Storer's departure for Paris next week he will receive the emperor's usual gift to departing ambassadors—a signed photograph in a frame set with jewels.

Royal Wedding on June 1.

MADRID, April 12.—The marriage of King Alfonso and Princess Ena of Battenberg has been definitely fixed for June 1. The foreign ambassadors who are to attend the ceremony will arrive here May 28.

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Some slightly soiled opera scores, comic and standard operas, worth from $1.50 to $2.50 each—take your choice for

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Today and Tomorrow

All Eyes on Easter Apparel

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Coats for Women Difficult to Fit.

Not only are these coats very special, but they were made purposely extra wide over the hips, unusually short waists, ample busts and wide neck bands, as the case may be. And special attention has been paid to the design and lengthwise straps, smaller sleeves and severe trimmings. All these essentials unite in making these coats especially suitable for women who find it difficult to secure a perfect fit.

"The little things make all the difference," said a stout woman, the other day, as she viewed the sloping, graceful lines of one of these coats and ordered her old one sent home. "I feel I've got my good looks back again."

Black cloths only, $10.00 each and up to $35.00.

1,800 Stylish Coats for Women,

$25.00, $30.00, $33.50, $35.00 up to $200.00.

You are not bold enough to say your Easter suit could not be chosen from such an unexampled variety. It's the largest collection of fashionable suits ever shown by this store. No doubt it is the largest collection ever shown in this city. The suits forming this large collection will have to be seen to realize how much of fashion is exhibited.

Whether much or little is to be spent for the new suit, you are bound to find something here to your liking.

The Eton Suits are as dressy as ever. New touches of lace, or a new kink of putting the fold on, or a new collar, as well as many new styles of skirts, will impress the visitor with the importance of our Eton collection.

There will always be women who like the exception rather than the rule—when the world generally wears short coats, they want them long. For such women we have the hip length and the Longworth coats—semi-fitting or close-fitting back, new shaped skirt. A broad selection of colors. Plain blue, plain black, pretty checks, different sizes of stripes, as well as some novelty fabrics. Can you come today or tomorrow and see some of the new things that are arriving daily?

Easter Vacation Offerings of Girls' School Dresses.

We prepared a pleasant time for mothers and daughters who use the shining hours of the Easter vacation to choose the dresses for the second term.

This is a special invitation to you, fastidious mothers, to mothers who demand good, girlish styles and beauty. The little daughter will be glad to have you bring her to this display, and you'll be gladder still when you realize the savings that these low prices mean.

White Cotton Dresses, in Russian effects; box pleats in front and back; double-breasted; large pearl buttons; at $1.25.

$1.25 Gingham Dresses, in blue and white and pink and white checks; white pique belt and yoke; kilted skirt; at $1.25.

Russian Dresses, in black and white checked gingham, trimmed in bands of red; box pleats in front and back; at $1.25.

Plain blue Chambray Dresses, daintily trimmed with white; kilted skirts; at $2.00.

Regulation Chambray Sailor Suits, in white, pink and cadet blue; trimmed with braid and embroidery; box pleated skirts; at $5.00, $5.50 and $6.00.

All in sizes for 6 to 14 years. Second floor, West.

The English Piccadilly Coat for Young Ladies and Girls.

Of all coats ever designed for young people, the English Piccadilly Coat is, taking every view of it, the most admirable.

For girls of 6 to 14 there is the three-quarter length Piccadilly.

For the young lady there is the English Piccadilly Tourist Coat.

For the young lady of 14 to 18 there is the English Piccadilly Box Coat.

And each of them is just as smart as smart can be.

None but the very best cloths are used. None but the very best tailoring is given each garment.

Thus mothers, in a few words, are in possession of every fact regarding these fine coats.

Will you bring your daughters in tomorrow and let us show you and them through the lines?

Men's $1 and $1.50 Easter Neckwear.

55c the Piece.

This is a remarkable offer—a very remarkable one—the neckwear being entirely new and as fresh as a Spring morning.

What we offer are Silk Four-in-Hands, the major portion regular $1.00 goods, but a very liberal assortment of $1.50 values.

There are all colors and their tints. There are also white and black.

These Four-in-Hands, which you are to buy for what we may call a preposterous underprice, were only unpacked yesterday, and will be ready early for today's business. They are 2½-inch French shape, being made solid, with no lining in back.

Women's Silk Underwear For Easter Gifts.

Very good suggestion, this, where families are in the habit of giving one another presents.

Our Underwear Division, second floor, East, has women's Italian Silk Vests—white and colors—plenty of variety—$2.75 each and up to $6.50.

Also liberal assortments of Italian Silk Underwaists, in white and colors.

In Fancy Ribbed Vests there are silk, lisle and cotton, prices beginning at 50c and reaching $4.00.

Women's Fancy Stockings to Match the Easter Gown.

Well dressed women who are fond of fine, soft hosiery in fancy colors and designs, will be delighted with the beauty and variety of the Spring showing at our Stocking Counter. Most any Easter gown may be matched—as these details will prove.

At 50c a pair—of imported lisle thread in these various colors:

Champagne, Havana brown, suede, almond, myrtle, cardinal, garnet, plum, navy blue, gray, tan, green with embroidered front. Gray, pink, sky blue or tan, with Paris side clocks.

We are inclined to think that is a very good variety from which to select at 50c a pair.

At $1.00 a pair—pink, sky blue, suede or tan lisle thread, with embroidered front.

Champagne color, lisle thread, plain and self-embroidered, also embroidered in contrasting colors.

At $2.00 a pair—plain, pure silk, in Alice, royal, navy or Yale blue, bronze, cardinal, champagne, gray, gold, light and nile greens, pink, sky blue and tan.

Laces Today—Half Prices—Short Pieces.

A touch of lace has the subtle power of magic—a bit here and a bit there works wonders. Friday is our day for short pieces, rain or shine.

Special table—several hundred pieces in various lengths—all styles and kinds—trimming laces, all-overs, galloons, motifs—regular popular prices, 20c to $5.00 a yard, today half those prices.

German and French Val. Laces and odd pieces of insertion—many of them matching edge—former popular prices 50c to 75c for dozen yards, today a dozen yards will cost you only 35c.

$3.50 Umbrellas Today and Tomorrow $2.50.

It may rain Easter—therefore this hint of umbrellas. It's a dollar hint, because if you purchase anything in this list you save just one dollar, and besides you get a first-class umbrella. This is strictly a woman's Easter bargain—none in the lot for men.

For $2.50—worth $3.50—choice is from the following:

Fine tape edge taffeta in black.
Fine tape edge taffeta in colors.
Fine tape edge peau de soie in colors.

All umbrellas are full 26 inches; steel rods; paragon frames; case and tassel; fine natural handles.

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While the lot is a fairly large one, if we were in your place we would not put off choosing until tomorrow.

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Friday, April 13, 1906.

Last night's news from Vesuvius was encouraging as indicating a subsidence of activity, leading to the hope that there will be no fresh fatalities, but depressing in its picture of the desolation already wrought. It is probable the magnitude of the catastrophe has not yet been realized. When country roads, now impassable, are cleared and opened, new horrors will doubtless be unfolded to view. Naples still suffers from the rain of ashes, and it will be many a day before the full story of death and destruction is written.

The value of judicious advertising has been demonstrated in a novel manner in Tennessee. A Knoxville minister had become discouraged over the small attendance in the Bible class. After many methods had been suggested to attract new members it was finally decided to try a page advertisement in one of the papers. The effect was almost miraculous, the attendance having increased one-third. This is an object lesson well worth considering if there are any persons who still refuse to believe in the efficacy of printer's ink.

Alarmed at the ravages of typhoid, many persons, it is stated, are drinking water from wells under the impression that it is certain to be purer than that drawn from the city mains. This is an extremely dangerous practice. At this time no water should be taken "on faith." Unless chemical analysis demonstrates its purity, well water, no matter how good its reputation may be in the neighborhood, should be avoided. The words have been dinned into the ears of Pittsburghers the last few days, but they cannot be repeated too often: "Boil the water."

Some instructive figures are contained in the report of New York's state commission of labor. Taking 92,000 working men, representing 85 trades and occupations, he finds there were only 111 out of 1,000 idle at the close of the past year. The proportion in 1904 was 196, and in 1902, the highest, 222. The figures collected by the commissioner indicate general activity, which is as true of other communities as of New York. The demand for labor is well distributed over the country, and is one of the healthiest signs, indicating a degree of prosperity and contentment that labor has not experienced for some time past.

After three years devoted to the taking of testimony in the case of Senator Reed Smoot, the senate committee on privileges and elections yesterday reached the hearing of argument by counsel, John G. Carlisle opening for the protestants. While the arguments advanced have a familiar sound, owing to the length of time the Mormon church has virtually been on trial before the country, their force is as apparent as ever. Reports from Utah declare the Mormons, in view of the mass of powerful evidence that has been presented, are prepared for defeat. There can be no doubt of the sentiment of most thoughtful citizens who have followed the evidence.

The Pittsburgh Railways Company posted new notices in all its cars yesterday in a renewed effort to abolish the spitting nuisance. This latest notice combines an appeal to "self-respecting passengers" with the statement that employes of the company have been instructed to "use all reasonable methods" to enforce the prohibition. Conductors, who were questioned last night, declared there was a noticeable diminution in the number of offenders. The new notice is placed conspicuously where it attracts the attention of every passenger who enters. It is evident the nuisance, which so greatly affects the health and comfort of all who travel on street cars, can be abated.

The Pennsylvania state board of trade was the name adopted by the organization of business and commercial interests formed at Harrisburg yesterday for the correction of certain grievances against the railroad companies of this state. These interests have been commendably active in the agitation for the abolishing of the $10 excess charge for mileage books and the adoption of a 2-cents-a-mile rate for passengers. The state's law department is already preparing to act in the former matter, which involves a legal question not yet settled. Both these reforms should come; their justice is apparent. Other states have secured their rights from the railroad companies, and the people of Pennsylvania will not be deprived of theirs much longer.

An erroneous impression of the politics of Attorney General Hadley of Missouri is abroad in some sections of the country. The Literary Digest, which is usually edited with care, is the latest offender in describing him as a Democrat. Other papers crediting him to the Democratic faith are certainly remiss in failing to recall Missouri's political flop in 1904, when the entire Republican state ticket was elected, with the exception of Mr. Folk, who was chosen governor. But even his election was, to a large extent, the result of Republican votes. Mr. Hadley, who has been very vigorous of late in certain prosecutions, has always been a Republican of the stalwart character. He was drafted by the Republican state convention and regularly nominated against his wishes. He has "made good," and now the hope of Missouri Republicanism is looking to him as a gubernatorial candidate in 1908.

Reckless Chauffeurs.

That the new director of the department of public safety is to exemplify the meaning of his title by taking steps to repress careless and reckless chauffeurs is welcome news. Pittsburgh has suffered too long from this dangerous type of law-breakers. The proposed vigorous campaign will receive the approval of all automobilists who have the true interests of the sport at heart. Members of the local automobile club, in line with their well-known attitude toward those who would bring the pastime into disrepute, will doubtless co-operate with the authorities, complying with Director Ridgway's invitation for "information regarding the driving of automobiles in the city streets at a speed which violates the laws." The practice of using the residence streets for speedways must be stopped.

The suggestion has been made that responsible automobilists, following the example of their brethren in other cities, might be sworn in as special officers, to serve without pay, and to caution offenders or even make arrests when necessary. In several western cities, prominent owners of automobiles have volunteered for this service, for the good of the sport, and their efforts have assisted materially in making reckless driving a rare offense. In Pittsburgh the regular police, with the unofficial support of the better class of automobilists, will probably be able to cope with the evil. Spasmodic attempts in this direction were made under the preceding regime, resulting in temporary improvement, but Director Ridgway evidently means business. He should be given every assistance in the good work.

Medicine for Mendacity.

While the discovery of just what is the matter with the sensational scribblers who have been filling the cheap magazines and yellow journals with "the literature of exposeure" comes rather late in the day, we are glad to have the diagnosis. Dr. Alfred Gordon of Jefferson medical college, contributes to the current number of American Medicine a strictly impersonal discussion of the subject, "Lying as a Disease," in the course of which he makes this statement: "A pathologic tendency for exaggeration, for telling untruths, for inventing impossible events, may be present in an adult as well as in a child. In both cases it can be considered as a stigma of mental degeneration. These intellectual weaklings do not progress with their age; they are psychically infants, deprived of the power of logical reasoning, of ability to pass just criticism. They are easily influenced, they are highly suggestible."

Then Dr. Gordon, while "naming no names," goes on to say that persons who exhibit such symptoms as these should be "looked upon with suspicion." So they are. And "placed in the hands of medical experts." This has not yet been done, but we are trusting their friends will realize the wisdom of this course. "Public opinion is not yet prepared to consider as mentally diseased individuals who are capable of combining various forms of perversion with intellectual resourcefulness." We believe Dr. Gordon does not do full justice to public opinion's discrimination. Public opinion is rapidly coming around to this view, but it has needed some such authority to give expression to it in scientific language. The magazine writers who have characterized most of our public men as moral lepers, our national senate as a rendezvous for criminals and the entire business world the abode of conscienceless graft and corruption, belong either in the asylum or the penitentiary. It is a charitable view which assigns them to the former place of residence.

Mr. Carnegie's Chance.

A favorite occupation of many persons when time hangs heavy on their hands, and one which imposes the minimum of intellectual exertion, is that of telling our rich men how to spend their money. The Croesus who is trying to die poor and the man of millions who takes a natural pleasure in accumulating more of this world's goods are alike recipients of unsolicited advice daily concerning the distribution of their incomes. Occasionally this advice is worth consideration. It is thus with the suggestion made at yesterday's meeting of the Minerva club in New York regarding Mr. Carnegie's opportunity to cope with "the wave of crime which is sweeping over the country." One of the chief causes of crime, declared a speaker before the club, "is the lack of proper nourishment among the poorer classes of society. People who are not sufficiently nourished yield readily to temptations which do not come to the well fed, and a practical knowledge of cooking would do more than anything else to decrease the ratio of crime. If Mr. Carnegie would endow $5,000 chairs of cooking he would be doing much more for the practical needs of humanity than by founding libraries. The starving dyspeptic is in no mood to read library books."

While the suggestion might have been couched in more diplomatically courteous language, it points the way to a philanthropic plan second only, in its bright possibilities, to that of deformed spelling. Civilized man, on the authority of the poet, can dispense with books, but cooks are absolutely necessary to the prolonging of his existence. Dyspepsia is the national disease. Its influence is reflected in the jeremiads of our magazine writers, most of whom are chronic sufferers. Dyspepsia is a disease which we cannot escape by drinking boiled water. No less an authority than the late Max O'Rell declared that dyspepsia, sapping the energies of our people, would some day cause the downfall of the nation. From present indications we can be saved from this dreadful calamity only by the army of Carnegie cooks, endowed experts, scientifically trained in the noblest of the arts, who will enter our homes and by their magic skill render the deadly doughnut innocuous and rob the insidious salad of its fatal sting. A new world of beauty and sunshine will then dawn upon the morbid mortal who now gazes through a dyspeptic's spectacles. Life will take on a fresh and glorious meaning for this dyspeptic-ridden nation, which now seems to be tottering to its fall. The Carnegie cooks will be the real Carnegie heroes, for they will have rescued the nation. The free library, the museum, the church organ, the kiss that made Atlanta famous, the fund for this or that noble charity, will all pale into insignificance as claims to immortality beside the overwhelming fact that one has saved his beloved country. It should be an alluring prospect to a man who has the money.

After Our Securities.

One of the United States consuls to France, writing about the business and financial relations of that nation with the United States, points out that the most interesting phase is the present tendency on the part of French investors to purchase good dividend paying securities of this country. It is said that our securities make their way with difficulty into the hands of the careful French investors. The reason for this is that the American dealers do not seem to be pushing enough, or rather they display an indifference with regard to securing this trade. It is something to the credit of the country, however, that in spite of difficulties we are making considerable headway in finance and trade.

The French are a notably provident people. This was exemplified in the payment of the German war indemnity, all of the government bonds having been subscribed to by the people of France. Their frugality leads them to make careful inquiry into investments. They are naturally turning to the United States these days because of the disturbed political conditions of Europe, which naturally affect every European security. "There are plenty of new countries to which we can turn," remarked an eminent Paris lawyer, "but there is only one relatively great and settled country completely separated from the complex problems pressing for settlement in Europe, and that country is America." For this reason he proposed to make purchases of our securities and intended to advise his clients to do the same.

France, without doubt, presents a rich field for legitimate enterprise in search of capital. The wealth of the people is wonderfully well distributed. In 1904 the net taxed value of estates administered on was $1,018,000,0000. The instructive feature in this showing is that half of the whole amount consisted of estates valued at $9,550 to $96,500, that only three estates were worth more than $10,000,000, and that these three reached a total of $48,000,000. There is hope that France will be a larger purchaser of our products than she has been. It could easily be made larger by a more intelligent cultivation of the field.

One Woman's Honesty.

Here is a woman who rises to the true nature of womanhood by declaring that "women would make better homes for themselves if they would love themselves less and men more." The observation, of course, only applies to those women who are in daily consultation with their mirrors to the neglect of the breakfast table. Not that woman should not make herself beautiful. The mirror should always be her guide to prevent slovenliness, but to dress merely for the sake of dressing is another matter. The always tidy woman, not overdressed, is the one who most attracts the eye and the soul of the man who is worth attracting.

The real woman of the home is she who makes a home. The word comprises more than a mere habitation. To some men it merely consists of so many rooms and the responsibility for the rent, but the right kind of a wife can make it a sanctuary, a haven of rest and comfort and encouragement. There are numbers of this kind of homes in Pittsburgh and elsewhere, and their establishment is altogether owing to the disposition of the wife and mother.

These conditions, however, must be met with reciprocal virtues on the part of the man. He must do his share toward making more perfect that citadel which the woman of his choice is building. If he is remiss in devotion and appreciation then the stones of the foundation will begin to crumble. The faithful man, the one true to wife and home has no time to think of others. The woman who helps him in this is to be prized above all jewels and other distractions of a worldly character.

Corporal Tanner declares that ex-presidents are generally lonely, with nobody to talk to them. The only one we have doesn't pine for conversation. It frightens the fish.

Students from three colleges settled the question of government control of corporations last night. But the statesmen will keep right on wasting breath over it.

The wedding of King Alfonso and Princess Ena was fixed definitely yesterday for June 1, but it will not be held "at the residence of the bride's parents."

Miss Ida Tarbell declares: "Pirates are respectable alongside of trust magnates." Respectable? The adjective is faint praise after yesterday's victory.

Ambitious Swedish engineers will hunt for a pass over the Andes. Passes are not so common since the first of the year.

Director Ridgway's campaign against careless chauffeurs may prevent many persons from having that run-down feeling.

Only a short time longer and we shall know just what President Roosevelt thinks of the output of "garbage fiction."

On the other hand, Mr. Carnegie's endowed cooks might put us on an exclusive diet of oatmeal and haggis.

Let us hope Friday, the thirteenth, will be another unlucky day for the fellows who face the Pirates.

Now if the Pirates will only consider that as a precedent which must be consistently followed!

Smoot's foes think the chief need of the senate is an expert professional "bouncer."

If Castro has really resigned his office, the world will be resigned, too.

We haven't any Vesuvius, but Italy hasn't any Tom Lawson.

Answers to Correspondents.

Old Reader—Under the act of the legislature of 1897.

F. W., Carrick—To what kind of a bridge do you refer: railroad, suspension or arch?

H. V. W.—The paper you mention has no extraordinary value, as they are quite numerous.

WHEN APRIL CALLS.

When April calls, and hill and coppice ring
With rapture at the silver summoning,
Wild echoes wake in solitudes serene
Where drooping dogwood boughs that overlean
Startle the slopes with sudden blossoming.

The light-lipped ripples through the shallows sing.
The tremulous tassels of the willows swing,
And coverts dim grow shimmeringly green,
When April calls.

O brooding heart! Pluck out the venomed sting
Of poignant Sorrow! Set caged Care a-wing!
Old ardors burn the blood, and courage clean,
Thrill sluggish pulses with an impulse keen
To follow fleet the flying feet of Spring,
When April calls!

—National Magazine.

Quiet Observations on Timely Topics

Are You Fretting to Get Back to the Farm These Days?

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Does the bright, warm sunshine beckon you to the farm, and make you long to put on coarse boots and start out to grubbing briars, building fence, and raking and burning cornstalks preparatory to starting the plow?

No doubt it starts up thoughts of these, but to think of them, and to want to do them, are very different propositions.

While there is much that is attractive about farm life, there are many things associated with it that are not pleasant, to say the least.

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The discomforts connected with farm life, however, are not of necessity, but may be remedied, or least greatly ameliorated, and that without great cost to the farmer.

It is the careless, sloppy, untidy farmers that suffers most, and it serves him right. The man who won't keep his fields and his stables clean does not deserve the best that is going.

There is no necessity, not even any excuse, for mud shoe-top deep in the front yard, for sagging gates, broken palings, leaking roofs or cold barns.

Those who have these things have only themselves to blame, and are deserving of no sympathy when they complain of the discomforts which necessarily follow such a condition of things.

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The laboring man in the country has a cinch compared with his brother in the city, for in the city the man who hasn't the strength to lift himself above the level of common day labor is forever on the ragged edge. He is the first to feel the pinch of hard times, and the last to feel the uplift of prosperity.

The laboring man in the country is always sure of his living, provided he is reasonably industrious, and has sense enough in a time of plenty to lay up something against a time of scarcity.

Those who won't do this, either in country or city, are not entitled to much sympathy when they complain of being hungry, or cold, or penniless.

All such are to be pitied for having been so neglected in their younger days. Had they been taught right in school, and at home, they would be living more nearly right now.

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But those of you who were reared in good homes in the country, exercised and trained on good farms, and lived comfortably and well, are liable at this season of the year to feel a longing for the old ways on the farm, to hunger for corn pone and maple molasses, and to thirst for sassafras and spicewood tea.

That is what scientists call atavism, a going back to things as they were. With you this is more of a passing feeling than a yearning, a real desire to be what you were, or what you would have been had you remained in the environment of the home.

And yet, by the judicious expenditure of the same amount of energy that has made you fairly successful here in the city, you might have been a country baron, be living in a mansion and have the comforts of life assured till your dying day.

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One who has been successful in city life looks back to the farm again, and then addresses farmers, their wives and their children, through the columns of the Philadelphia Ledger:

"The tendency to rush to the city excites the amazement even of the one who at an earlier day had answered the same call. The city offers to a certain mentality a reward more glittering than the country holds, a political and social power of which the country has no knowledge. Nor does the country need to regret this. It has its own rewards, and they are better than gold.

"Moreover, the personal failure in the city is a tragedy. Beggary haunts the crowded street. Vice beckons into the shadows. The city toiler, to rise above the dead level where his fellows abide, has to be of extraordinary force of character; in application untiring, in deals, perhaps unscrupulous, and he must be attended by the goddess of good fortune.

"The usual life of the city laborer or wage earner is the barest. He cannot save money. There are few innocent pleasures upon which he can expend the little he may have to spare above the price of rent and bread. Even fresh air and the clear light of the sun are luxuries denied. He may look upon splendors, but have no part in them; be aware of wealth, with small chance of attaining it."

It is the craze for money that sends so many boys and men, too, to the city. Because some city men and boys have money, and spend it in a way to make others think they are having a good time, country men and boys who are really better off in every way, desert the farm and home and bury themselves in a great city where they have to work harder, and suffer more inconveniences, and all for the name of living in a city.

The farmer complains of the long hours he has to work, the farm day being from sun till sun, while the women solemnly aver their work is never done. Even these hours in the open country, with pure air, and bodily comforts, do not constitute nearly as long a day as half the hours do in a close shop on hot streets, or confined behind a desk.

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Stay there, my boy, and set about making the old farm bloom like a garden.

What is to hinder you from making the old farm look like the grounds of a baron? You can readily see how to improve the roads and lanes by change of grade, planting trees, and running fences, how to beautify the grounds around the house, and how to make the whole place look cheerful and homelike.

If you will do this you will find that the old farm, though run down and out of credit, will loom up as the best place in the township, and be worth more per acre than you would dare dream of now.

It will take some means and a good deal of work to do this, but not half as much as it will to succeed in the city.

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Stay right there my dear girl, even if you have to sweep, and work, and iron, and scrub, and bake, and sew, and milk, and churn, and cook, and do other things between times.

Stay there, and sing, and work, and eat, and sleep, and be healthy, and good. You will miss the sunshine if you come to the city, and miss the long country walks, the fresh air, the wildness and the freedom you now enjoy.

No matter if you haven't tailor-made gowns, don't dance the latest step, don't play the piano, and don't gallavant around half the night or more, and then spend half the day or more in bed.

Stay there, and be just as gentle, and as useful, and as beautiful as ever you can, and you will get your reward, sure.

TOWN TALES: TALKS WITH TRAVELERS

STREET SCENES

By PETER PRY SHEVLIN

LOBBY CHATTER

A Whimsical Suggestion.

"I have been thinking about this Vesuvius eruption," said the man with the twin chins.

"Indeed?" queried the straphanger on a Homestead car.

"Yes, I was wondering if the people of Naples really know the value of sulphur and molasses, sarsaparilla and other spring medicines and blood purifiers."

"What's that got to do with Vesuvius?"

"Well, they cure eruptions, don't they?"

An Unwelcome South American.

A local commission house had an unwelcome visitor yesterday afternoon and while he was "on the job" he certainly stirred up excitement. The arrival was South American by birth and arrived on a big bunch of bananas. He was an immense tarantula.

This deadly tarantula climbed placidly up the forearm of a clerk who gave one glance at the insect and, with a yell flipped him off on the floor. The tarantula's movements kept the office force on the jump—for they hated to squash a rare specimen—until a stream of boiling water ended his existence. When measured the poisonous insect was found to measure six inches long, five inches wide, two inches thick in body, and with a spread of front legs measuring fully seven inches.

Growth of Moving Pictures.

When the moving picture machine became jammed in a downtown nickleodeon yesterday, a Frenchman who was in the audience volunteered and quickly straightened out the films.

"The moving picture shows that have recently invaded Pittsburgh and the west," said the visitor, M. Mathieu, of Bordeaux, France, later, "are the outgrowth of a distinctively French idea. While those shows are now locating everywhere in the United States, they have been making enormous sums in the large cities and little villages of Europe for the last three years. So great has been the financial gain that a member of the great Rothschild family is a member of the board of directors of the corporation I represent.

"This company controls the moving picture concession in France and her colonies and I am on my way to Mexico and South American countries to establish a chain of odeons through those countries, where your American firms have a foothold. The French rights exercise no control over American moving picture enterprises."

A Dangerous Joke.

Beneath a strata of Oriental stoicism there is a condition of unrest among the members of the Chinese colony on Grant street, due to the breaking up of fan-tan and pie-gow games and a threatening conflict between two "highbinder" societies, the Hip Sing Tong and the On Leong Tong. Many threats against law-abiding Chinamen have been made.

A prominent lawyer, who dabbles in Chinese affairs and is famed as a practical joker, met a friend yesterday on Grant street and handed him a slip of red paper covered with Chinese characters.

"I'm waiting for a friend on this corner," he said. "Will you please go into that laundry and get my shirts? I'll wait for you."

"Sure," said the obliging man, taking the red laundry ticket. Thereupon he went into the laundry and presented it to the Chinaman. Simultaneously there was something doing.

With a frenzied falsetto shriek the Chinaman popped into his backroom and began hurling flatirons, soap and everything handy at the visitor, who hastily beat a retreat.

"That chink is running amuck!" he announced to the lawyer on the corner. "That laundry slip seemed to drive him daffy."

"That isn't a laundry ticket," guffawed the lawyer, "it's a bloodthirsty 'highbinder' proclamation threatening assassination. I picked it off a dead wall this morning."

The victim gave the practical joker one look. They don't speak now.

An Indefinite Answer.

"I ran across a funny conundrum at the club last night," confided the obese man with the fishy eyes.

"A riddle, eh?" asked his dyspeptic companion.

"Here it is: If it takes a lame cockroach, using a toothpick as a crutch, three days to crawl across a cake of soap, just how long would it take a dressmaker to construct a pair of pink pajamas for a Hagenback elephant? What's the answer?"

"Oh, when we have Greater Pittsburgh!" said his companion sadly.

Packet Trade Increasing.

"A fact growing out of the present agitation for a marine hospital in this city," said Capt. J. J. Campbell, of Cairo, Ill., at local harbor No. 25 of the Masters and Pilots' association, "is that the packet trade from Cairo to New Orleans and other southern points has increased over 100 per cent in the past year and is steadily on the jump. Naturally packet trade on the Ohio river participates in this prosperity. There is an average of 3,000 river men coming and going in Pittsburgh at all times and it would cost the government less to keep up a marine hospital than to pay local hospitals for their care, as is now the case."

Capt. Campbell left for Washington, armed with further statistics to place in the hands of Congressman Dalzell, should any further proof be necessary.

Wants Mr Robbins for Govenor.

To Editor The Gazette:

Sir:—I notice in one of the recent issues of The Gazette a communication in regard to gubernatorial timber, and among other names mentioned from the western part of the state was that of Francis L. Robbins. Although not in a position at the present time to say whether Mr. Robbins would accept the position or not, we think after viewing the political situation from all standpoints that Mr. Robbins would certainly be the most available candidate the Republican party could select to head the ticket for the coming campaign. In the first place he is a gentleman who has the undoubted executive ability to discharge the duties of the office with credit and honor to the state and in the second place he has never been identified with any of the political factions which we consider of vital importance in the approaching campaign. He has never held a political office, except chairman of the Washington county committee years ago, when quite a young man, and led the Republican party to victory by a large majority at a time when our county was in the doubtful list. He has always been an influential worker in politics, but has always stood for the best interests of Republicanism and the country at large, so we send the slogan all along the line, "We want Frank for our next governor."

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One Remedy for Typhoid.

To Editor The Gazette:

Sir:—The cause of typhoid fever in our city comes from the sewer gases. There should be stacks on chimneys built with sewer connections to draw the gases up. The stack at Thirty-fourth street and Penn avenue could be utilized for this purpose. The stench that comes up in sinks, closets and sewer drops is enough to make all sick. The water in the rivers is surface water and has been all winter. We cannot blame it on the water at this time. A large chimney in the Belmar or Homewood district and one in the Oakland district would do much for the cause.

R. M. J. DODDS.
710 Oakwood street.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Asbestos Curtain.

By Charles M. Bregg.

Reference was made in this column some weeks ago to the supersensitiveness of the average theatrical star over the question of his or her relative position in a play. This feverish anxiety of the alleged star to get the center of the stage is one of the oldest jokes of the theater, and, of course, like all footlight traditions, has been greatly overworked. From London comes the latest variation of the disease, and pretty Edna May is the victim. The story is a harrowing one, though it has not been exploited in the newspapers generally. Miss May, it will be remembered, closed her season shortly after her appearance in Pittsburgh several weeks ago and immediately thereafter sailed for London, where she was to open in the Vaudeville theater in a new musical comedy.

So far as I know the opening took place a few days ago according to schedule, but before the new Leslie Stuart-Basil Hood piece had its premier there were all sorts of ructions behind the asbestos curtain.

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The cause of the trouble was a natural disinclination on Miss May's part to be overshadowed by anyone else in a production of which she is nominally the bright particular star, and the person who threatened ,temporarily, to eclipse the Syracuse girl was pretty Louise Pounds, who has grown to be a great London favorite. Gossip also declares that Miss Pounds is also very devotedly admired by Captain Basil Hood, who wrote the libretto of "The Belle of Mayfair," the name of the piece in which Miss May was supposed to twinkle as the sole observable luminary. Perhaps it is not surprising, therefore, that in writing his latest "book" Captain Hood provided Miss Pounds with an uncommonly "fat" part. It was a part, in fact, that not only ran the star's decidely close so far as opportunities and "numbers" go, but gave Miss Pounds what is known on the stage as an "entrance" which promised to be one of the sensations of the piece. Miss May's "entrance" was simply nothing to it, and when the first complete rehearsal took place the little lady from the United States was observed to listen with something like a frown to the salvo from the orchestra and chorus which brought her rival "on."

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"And now, Miss May, if you please," said the stage manager, a few minutes later, when nothing much appeared to be happening on the stage. But instead of making her entrance the American singer rounded upon Leslie Stuart, the composer, who was standing near, and with flashing eyes demanded:

"Is this ready to be my entrance, Mr. Stuart?" she asked in what are known as freezing accents.

"Why, yes, Miss May, I believe so," faltered the composer, while an eloquent silence reigned.

"Then you may have your part back," observed the former "Belle of New York" and forthwith swept from the scene.

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Of course, with the whole town waiting to see the American songstress in the Hood-Stuart piece there was nothing for both authors and management but capitulation, and so without more ado changes were made in the leading feminine parts, and after these had been submitted to her Miss May gracefully consented to return to the east and the day was saved. Meanwhile, though Captain Basil Hood is presumably rather "sick" over the business, there is not much disposition to blame Miss May for declining to take second place in a piece that was written especially for her use, especially since it seems to be more a personal question involving the predilection of an author for a favorite rather than the more important relation of talent for the particular part. These occurrences are far more frequent beyond the footlights than one would imagine, and too often they defeat the artistic and coherent demands of the play itself. At other times the exigencies of the occasion demand some such befuddling of roles in the interests of the leading player. Take Raymond Hitchcock's present situation as an example of forced incongruity in actor and role. Hitchcock tried a number of "straight" comedies after his desertion of musical comedy, but none of them would go. Finally his manager purchased "The War Correspondent," Richard Harding Davis' play written for Willie Collier, and changed the name to "The Galloper" and sent Hitchcock forth in it.

But it was a Collier role and Hitchcock's peculiar style of humor does not suit it, though the comedian is doing the best he can with the piece.

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There have been many guesses as to the origin of the slang terms "23" and "skidoo," some of them ingenious, but most of them wide of the mark. A great many people assume that young George Cohan is the originator of the phase "23," meaning "get out," but this is an error. Cohan merely revived the term in connection with "skidoo." "It is a race track expression," one guesser has declared, "and means 'skedaddle,' of which 'skidoo' is the diminutive. There are never more than 22 horses in a race, and, should one more than that number be on the list, he would have to 'skidoo,' or 'git,' for he would be "23." This explanation has some merit, of ingenuity, but is really not the most correct or satisfactory. George A. Kingsbury, general manager for Thompson & Dundy, the New York Hippodrome founders, has given what seems to be the correct derivation of the expression. "It isn't new at all," said he. "I knew it 15 or 18 years ago, and as a matter of fact every circus man did. I used to be with a circus at that time and every man in the circus line had as a by-word the number "23." It meant 'get out,' just as it does today.

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"The way in which that meaning came to be attached to the number was very natural. You may not know it, but in every ring-show there are just 23 numbers on the program, and the last is the Roman chariot race. Well, when a tent-show plays a one-night stand, pegs are pulled and every bit of canvas and every wagon or piece of property is moved as soon as possible after the performance. The canvas men and hangers-on of a circus work very hard, and while a performance is on they lie down to rest and generally to sleep. The boss canvas man knows well where each man is to be found, and as the show draws to a close there is a cry outside the tent of '23.' The sleeper wakes and the whole crew is active, for it is the signal to prepare to move, or to 'skidoo.'"

There is still another solution of the mystery in which a sign in telegraphy is said to have given rise to the term. Another guesser tells that he heard once from a literary source that Sidney Carton's death by the guillotine in Charles Dickens' novel, "A Tale of Two Cities," is the real origin of 23," as that pathetic character was the twenty-third and last victim of the knife on that particularly bloody day in Paris.

You may take your choice.

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"H. S." is informed that Eva Tanguay never appeared in Pittsburgh with Frank Daniels in "The Office Boy," though she was with that comedian in the piece earlier in its history. Mr. Daniels was here only once with "The Office Boy," then at the Nixon. Frank Deshon was at the Alvin later with the comedy.

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events In Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

The feeling of unrest that characterizes the hotel situation in Pittsburgh was further evidenced yesterday by the arrival of a party of New York hotel men and their financial backers, who spent the day in an examination of the business handled by several local hotels. Yesterday's examination was from the cursory viewpoint of the outsider, and was a mere preliminary to talking business.

The party is under the guidance of J. M. Davis of New York, and besides representatives of New York interests, contains Buffalo, Philadelphia and Baltimore hotel men. Their purpose is not the building of other hotels, but to add a Pittsburgh house to a chain of hotels on which they have quietly secured options or trade agreements throughout the country; in other words, as one of the party put it, to form a hotel trust. Practically the same party paid a visit to Pittsburgh nearly a year ago on the same mission, but left without closing a deal, but it is supposed that recent developments in local hotels have given them new encouragement.

This inter-city merger of hotel interests will attempt to cater particularly to traveling men, as it will be able to present to the drummers and theatrical people a route that extends throughout the country dotted with company-controlled hotels at every point. Thereby they can book the traveler for any part of a season or make a deal with the company that sends out the traveler for his season's lodging at a flat price. Because of economy of operation and an assured trade, lower prices will be possible, and an increased efficiency of service has been claimed for the new plan.

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Seen in the Station.

A party of Yale students from the department of mineralogy passed through the city last night en route to Yellowstone park.

Charles E. Sueeop and Select Councilman John Benz, both officials of a local brewing company, went to Atlantic City last night.

Isaac J. Ketler, president of Grove City college and prominent in many educational movements, registered yesterday at the Henry.

Several night trains on the Pennsylvania line, including the St. Louis and the Pennsylvania limited, were nearly an hour late last night owing to congestion of traffic, caused by a small smash-up west of Harrisburg.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Monongahela—J. M. Brown, Morgantown, W. Va.; H. A. Englehart, Ebensburg; L. W. Orr, J. W. Ayer, Mercer; John B. Brooks, Erie; A. J. Findlay, Franklin; C. M. Lucas, Brownsville; J. H. Hughes, New Castle; S. M. Whaley, Frederick Shinn, Morgantown, W. Va.

Griswold—P. R. Minch, Marietta, O.; L. I. Moore, Waynesburg; Charles D. Marlowe, Wheeling; S. Byron Fish, Connellsville.

St. Charles—Thomas E. Fry, Waynesburg, C. C. Thomas, Marietta, O.; F. D. Brown, Kittanning; Harry Marshall, Brownsville; P. R. House, Rice's Landing; A. W. Graham, Bradford.

Newell's—W. H. Floto, D. L. Dickson, Meyersdale; M. A. Dowd, Weston, W. Va.; W. D. Jenkins, Ironton, O.

Antler—Maurice N. Landay, Washington; Samuel C. Todd, Charleroi; George M. Richard, Erie; J. C. Neilson, Johnstown.

Duquesne—Warren McCreary, Butler; F. Lewis, Leetonia, O.

Henry—Isaac Ketler, Grove City; J. Swartz, Harrisburg; F. M. Semans, Jr., Uniontown; H. M. Craig, Wheeling; S. B. McGray, Youngstown, O.; M. H. Bowman, Uniontown.

Lincoln—C. Metzgee, Rochester.

Anderson—Samuel McAdoo, Toronto, O.; George Hobbs, Uniontown.

Colonial—G. J. Cribbs, New Castle; M. D. Jones, Monaca; F. F. DeBolt, East Liverpool, O.; L. Burger, Oil City; H. Rice, Wheeling; J. D. Vensel, Saltsburg.

Annex—A. Frankel, Irwin; M. Anderson, E. E. Sanderson, Oil City; Charles F. Cooper, H. M. Driggs, Clairton; R. McIlwaine, Oil City; James Reilly, Sharon; Ira Newton, Clairton.

Boyer—J. L. Clark, Cadiz, O.; J. J. McCarty, Connellsville; T. W. Moore, Clearfield; W. G. Brown, Brookville; Hiram Reese, Punxsutawney; H. E. Horne, Greenville; Robert Fisher, W. E. Duffield, Butler; A. Y. Crawford, New Castle, A. G. Corbett, Clarion; J. D. Hess, Morgantown, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—C. A. Berrett, Canton, O.; L. Browning, Greensburg; F. K. Keener, Indiana; K. R. Ieger, New Castle; M. Phillips, Glen Campbell; A. P. Smith, Waynesburg; J. C. Greer, Cambridge Springs; W. H. Tyson, Big Run; D. G. McCoy, Wheeling; S. A. D. Morrison, East Brady.

Fort Pitt—S. L. Watson, Walton Miller, Fairmont, W. Va.; W. H. Garnett, Franklin; J. M. Casey, Steubenville, O.; Paul H. Garber, Greensburg; F. M. Seemon, Uniontown; C. J. Parsons, Altoona; F. J. Dixon, Blairsville; F. S. Love, Johnstown; J. H. Schwab, Loretto; L. S. Benjamin, Greenville; W. F. Patterson, Waynesburg; R. W. Morehead, Rittanning; J. H. Long, Youngstown, O.; W. B. Irwin, Altoona.

Schenley—A. W. Conestock, J. M. Horton, Cincinnati; George P. Brockway, Warren, Pa.

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Pittsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, April 12.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—F. H. Buhl, Jr., G. Mesta, J. H. Moore, A. T. Kellar, C. E. Pope, A. C. Dinkey, Mr. Wickersham.

Fifth Avenue—J. H. McCloy, G. L. O. Wadsworth, W. L. Finn, H. W. Hartman, E. C. Mathews.

Manhattan—Miss E. C. Lowry, E. K. Lowry, F. M. Lowry, Miss L. D. Speer, Miss M. C. Speer, Mrs. C. E. Speer.

Astor House—T. Feltig.

Cosmopolitan—J. H. Schnelberger, G. W. Frasier.

Broxiell—S. H. Johnson.

Cambridge Court—L. H. Kirk, Miss M. T. Kirk.

Empire—J. K. Hull, Miss E. Soutum.

Cadillac—Mrs. B. Collins.

Wellington—Mrs. J. P. Reed.

Netherland—T. Tongele.

Everett—J. W. Harrington.

Breslin—V. E. Arnold, J. E. Ewing.

New Amsterdam—E. Kaye.

Gilsey—A. L. Barlow.

Victoria—Dr. Arthur, Mrs. Arthur.

Grand—F. L. Gullett, A. P. Wiedman.

Holland—Mrs. J. S. Wilson, H.

LUMBERMEN WIN IN STAKE FIGHT

Pennsylvania, New York and Illinois Central Will Provide Steel Car Stakes.

A SUCCESSFUL CONFERENCE

The lumber interests of this country won a signal victory over the railroads in a joint conference of national representatives held at the Duquesne club yesterday. The question at issue was whether the railroad companies should equip their gondola and flat cars with stakes to hold on lumber or whether the lumbermen should continue to furnish their own stakes. It was decided that the three trunk line railroads which were made defendants in the recent suits brought by the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers association at Chicago, shall equip 50 gondola cars with steel stakes at once and make a practical test of the same. If successful it is believed this will lead to every railroad in the country equipping their cars in the same manner. These roads are the Pennsylvania, New York Central and Illinois Central. These stakes are to be considered a part of the car equipment proper, as brakes would be, and no extra freight will be charged the lumbermen for the use of them.

The stake situation is briefly this. For years the railroad companies have compelled the lumbermen to furnish oak car stakes—straight grained and of a specified pattern, on all cars they used in shipping. The cost of these stakes lately has been $26 a thousand feet, and it added a very large item to the initial cost of a carload of lumber. Not only were the lumbermen compelled to furnish the stakes which, they claimed, were often appropriated after the first use for the railroad's own purposes, but they were charged extra freight for them on the same basis as the lumber.

Frequent appeals by the state and national lumbermen's associations to the state legislatures and to congress failed of any relief. Then the National association appealed to the interstate commerce commission and finally secured from it a ruling that the railroads must rebate the freight charges for stakes. This was not what the lumbermen wanted, and the National association filed suits against three railroads at Chicago to test their power to make the lumbermen furnish their own stakes, claiming that unjust discrimination was being practiced.

This litigation at Chicago resulted in the appointment of several committees and sub-committees to consider the stake question. A joint committee of seven each from the lumbermen and the railroads was named recently to hold a final meeting in Pittsburgh and decide the question. Sub-committees appointed later were to devise some form of stake to be submitted at yesterday's conference. After an all-day's discussion the railroad representatives agreed to give the steel stakes a fair trial on the gondola cars. The stakes will be of telescopical or collapsible style, which can be let down when not in use.

The question of stakes for flat cars was hotly contested by the railroad representatives. Finally it was agreed that a removable stake should be devised by a sub-committee and referred to the joint committee within four weeks. It was also suggested that boxes should be provided under the flat cars for holding these stakes when they were not in actual use.

Those present representing the lumber interests were Lewis Dill of Baltimore, president of the National Wholesale Lumber Dealers' association, and E. F. Perry of New York, its secretary; W. W. Ross of New York, counsel for the association; R. W. Higby of New York, George K. Smith of St. Louis, Capt. Tift of Tifton, Ga., M. Stillwell of Savannah, Ga., L. H. Barth of Chicago, and A. L. Stone of Cleveland. The local lumber interests were represented by Fred R. Babcock, chairmen of the lumbermen's committee of seven, and J. L. Kendall of the Kendall Lumber Company. Every trunk line railroad east of the Mississippi and north of the Potomac was represented in the conference.

At the conclusion of the day's sessions the Pittsburgh Wholesale Lumber Dealers' association tendered the visiting delegates a dinner at the Duquesne club, at which Fred R. Babcock, president, and James W. Wardrop, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers association, made addresses.

MUST WAIT 100 YEARS.

At Expiration of Century, City of York, Is Beneficiary of Will of Deceased Banker.

YORK, PA., April 12.—The will of the late Albert S. Weyer has been placed on record in the register's office. Nearly the entire estate of $125,000 is bequeathed to the city of York. It is to be accumulative and will not be effective until 100 years from the date of the will, which was made 11 years ago.

At that time a public hospital is to be founded with the proceeds, which financiers estimate will be worth $500,000. The estate is principally bank stock and government bonds. At his death Weyer was said to be the largest individual owner of bank stock in York. He was a director in four national banks here.

AN UNFORTUNATE FAMILY.

Sons in Penitentiary, While Father After Losing $3,000, Is Convicted of Murder.

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA., April 12.—(Special.)—After being out but a few minutes the jury in the case of the state vs. George Quinn returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree with the recommendation that he be confined in the penitentiary for life.

Quinn murdered the baby of Amanda McIntyre by crushing its head with a hammer. She was employed at his home as a domestic. He is 53 years of age and has two sons in the penitentiary. While he was in jail $3,000 that he had secreted in a buried keg was stolen.

Nixon Theater Notes.

John Drew's engagement at the Nixon next week is attracting an unusual interest, even for this popular star, among theatergoers, as his play, "DeLancey," by Augustus Thomas, comes recommended as the best which he has ever had.

"The Labyrinth" will be the dramatic novelty of Olga Nethersole's engagement at the Nixon week of April 22. "The Labyrinth" is a play by Paul Hervieure, a member of the Royal Academy of France, the theme of which is a startling discussion of the divine problem. In the part of Marianne in this play Miss Nethersole is said to have found a role which offers her abundant opportunities for the display of those virile emotional qualities.

LIQUOR DEALERS AFTER EVIDENCE AGAINST DIVES

Detectives in the employ of the Allegheny County Retail Dealers' association are obtaining evidence against speakeasies, dance halls, disorderly houses, low dives and every place where liquor is sold illegally. Informations will be made and warrants issued as soon as enough evidence is secured. An effort is also being made to obtain the names of the dealers who furnish the liquor to these houses, and unless they desist, it is almost certain that prosecutions will follow.

Those who enjoy prosperity today banked their savings yesterday. Begin today—be economical and save. Open a savings account with the Commonwealth Trust Company in Fourth avenue. We pay 4 per cent compound interest, which will bring you a larger profit than any insurance contract offered.

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WILL FIGHT THE MILEAGE EXCESS

Movement Started by "Homeless 26" Brings About State Trades' Organization.

RESOLUTIONS ARE ADOPTED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
HARRISBURG, April 12.

The business and commercial interests of Pennsylvania formed a permanent organization in Harrisburg today for the abolition of the $10 excess collected by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company on every $20 mileage book sold and for the election of members of the legislature who will favor a two-cent passenger rate in this state.

The organization was christened the Pennsylvania State Board of Trade and will be composed of representatives of the various local boards of trade, merchants associations and kindred bodies throughout the state which favor more liberal concessions by the railroads.

Former Mayor Vance C. McCormick of Harrisburg was elected president; S. Marshall Williams of Pittsburgh, secretary; D. C. Shaw of Pittsburgh, Clarence E. Geesey of York and F. H. MacIntyre of Philadelphia, vice presidents; William R. Brinton of Lancaster, treasurer. These officers, together with the directors, William T. Creasy of Catawissa; T. D. Harmon, Pittsburgh; Joseph C. Smith, Harrisburg; S. D. Burlingame, Altoona; Frank S. Evans, Pittsburgh, and A. M. Howe of Erie, constitute an executive committee.

President McCormick was authorized to appoint, within 10 days, standing committees on transportation, finance, interurban railways and legislation, with three members each; and a committee of five to draft a constitution and by-laws. The committee was authorized to employ counsel to take charge of the legal end of its campaign for cheaper railroad rates and other matters in which the board may be interested.

Resolutions were adopted protesting against the practice of the trunk line railroads in requiring a $10 deposit on the purchase of every mileage book; pledging the best efforts of the organization to secure abolition of this o— two-cent passenger rate in Pennsylvania; approving the work already done in behalf of the abolition of the $10 excess charge, and that "We use our efforts to secure the election of members of the general assembly, who will pledge themselves to support a uniform passenger rate of two cents a mile in Pennsylvania."

The convention at which this organization was formed was the result of the movement started by the "Homeless 26," which is composed of Pittsburgh commercial and traveling men, to abolish the Pennsylvania's mileage book system. There was a large representation from Western Pennsylvania, the following organizations in that locality having delegates:

The "Homeless 26," Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce, Merchants and Manufacturers' association of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh board of trade, Oakland board of trade, Donora Merchants' association, Donora Business Men's exchange, Uniontown Merchants' association, Canonsburg Merchants' Protective association, Greensburg Merchants' association, Carnegie board of trade, Braddock board of trade, Altoona Merchants' association, New Brighton Retail Grocers' association, Johnstown Merchants' association and Scottdale Retail Merchants' association.

Salty Sentence for Alleged Thief.

A fine of $100 or 60 days in the workhouse was the sentence imposed by Magistrate Kirby yesterday on Hilda Clark, an alleged robber of drunken men, and companion of thieves. She was arrested Wednesday night by Special Policeman Robert Denniston, who preferred the charges.

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Friday, April 13.

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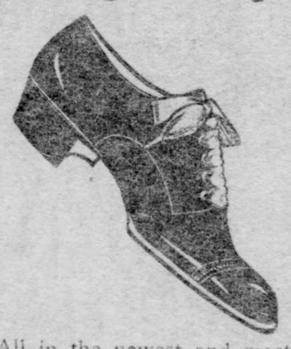

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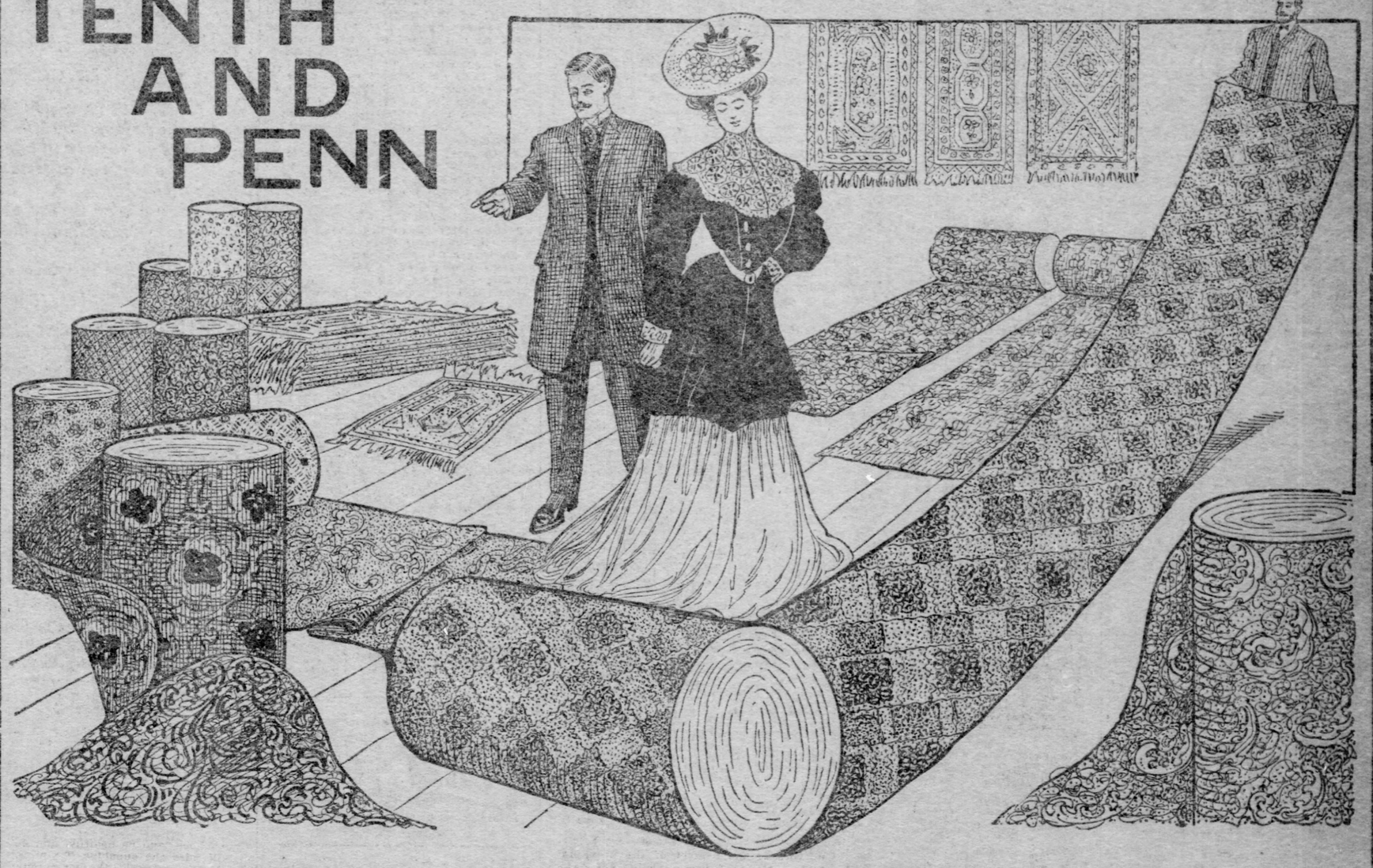

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CARLISLE URGES SMOOT'S OUSTING

Reviews Evidence Against Utah Senator and Says Case Has Been Made Out.

WORTHINGTON GOES TODAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Arguments in the case of Senator Reed Smoot were begun today before the senate committee on privileges and elections, after an inquiry extending over three years into his right to retain his seat. Former Secretary of the Treasury John G. Carlisle opened for the protestants. He will be followed by A. S. Worthington of the counsel for Mr. Smoot. The members of the committee present were Chairman Burrows, and Messrs. Foraker, Knox, Dolliver, Dillingham, Dubois, Bailey, Overman, Frazier and Pettus.

The committee room was as crowded as at any time since the investigation was begun, most of the spectators being women. Mr. Smoot was present, as well as several prominent Mormons who have assisted Mr. Smoot in his defense. The Utah senator apparently was not concerned as to the outcome of the proceedings.

Mr. Carlisle reviewed first the testimony of President Joseph F. Smith and other Mormon officials to show that the first presidency and the 12 apostles are a self-perpetuating body responsible for everything that is done, either spiritual or temporal.

Smoot Responsible for Wrongs of Church

Mr. Smoot's membership in this body, asserted Mr. Carlisle, made him equally responsible for any wrong-doings under the laws of the nation. He said the Mormon church is more than a church. It is a commercial and political organization. He criticized at some length church control over candidacies of its members for public office, and asserted that the situation is such that the politics of Utah can be dominated by the Mormon church at will.

Discussing the constitutional provision relating to the eligibility of members of the senate, Mr. Carlisle said that three disqualifications are enumerated: Insufficient age, non-citizenship of the United States and non-citizenship of the state for the requisite period, but that these are not all of the disqualifications of which the senate may take cognizance. He mentioned certain classes of lawbreakers, lunatics and finally women. Dissenting laughter from the women greeted this classification, and Mr. Carlisle paused a moment to make his peace, during which he said he hoped to see a constitutional amendment that would admit them.

How Seat Could Be Vacated.

Mr. Carlisle contended that the senate or house should determine the fitness of its members to serve, in the same manner as if the constitutional provisions did not exist. He declared that expulsion of a senator cannot be made because of something that occurred prior to the beginning of his term; that expulsion must be for an act committed as a member of the legislative body, and that this would require a two-thirds vote of the senate. He contended that the case against Mr. Smoot is to disqualify him for service, and that it can be done by passing a resolution to the effect that the Utah senator lacks the requisite qualifications and the seat, therefore, can be vacated by a majority vote.

Members of the committee took great interest in this argument, Messrs. Bailey, Knox, Dillingham and Dolliver asking numerous questions.

When Mr. Carlisle closed he announced that he would not attempt to answer the arguments of Mr. Worthington which will be made tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

SOME DISPUTE ABOUT WHO IS MAYOR OF TOWN

Rival Political Parties Each Elect Their Choice and Create Confusing Situation.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., April 12.—At a special meeting of city council tonight James A. Holly, Democrat, was elected mayor of Charleston to succeed John A. Jarrett, Republican. The action of the council fell like a thunderbolt in the Republican camp. The latter party had been in control of municipal affairs for several years, but at the municipal election held last March the Democrats carried a sufficient number of wards to reverse the former standing of the two parties in city council.

Anticipating action of the Democratic majority in declaring the former election of Jarrett illegal, the Republicans hurriedly called a special meeting of councils several weeks ago, immediately following the city election and before the newly-elected councilmen had taken their seats, and upon the resignation of Mayor Jarrett immediately re-elected him to that office.

The Democrats claiming this election illegal on account of insufficient notices having been given, members of council proceeded tonight to elect a new mayor.

TO CHICAGO VIA CLOUDS.

Aeronaut Mettery Contracts for a Trip from New York for $3,000 Prize.

CHICAGO, April 12.—(Special.)—William Mettery, the Chicago aeronaut who narrowly escaped death recently in making a descent, now says he will try to make an airline trip to Chicago from New York in a race for a prize of $3,000.

"I can't tell you much about the details of the affair," he said. "All I know is that two representatives of the New York Aero club called on me yesterday, and I signed a contract and will start for New York Wednesday.

"The race probably will be begun on the following Sunday, and I hope to make the trip through the clouds to Chicago."

LIGHT QUESTION AGAIN.

Mayor Guthrie to Take It Up Soon With Allegheny County Light Company.

Mayor Guthrie and Controller Larkin discussed the city light situation yesterday. The mayor will soon take up the subject with J. D. Callery of the Allegheny County Light Company, which is at present supplying the city with electric light. The company has offered to furnish arc lights at $76 a year, if it can secure a contract for four years. This would make a saving of $60,000 a year. The mayor is opposed to a contract longer than one year.

As the controller expects to go away for a rest next Monday, he turned over to Mayor Guthrie all the data he has collected bearing on the light question.

ADMINISTERS OATH TO NEW STATE COMMANDER

LEBANON, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Maj. Marshall L. Case of Col. O'Neill's Fourth regiment staff, National Guard of Pennsylvania, today administered the formal oath of office to Maj.-Gen. J. P. S. Gobin, commander of the division. Maj. Case is a nephew of Gen. Gobin, and was accorded the honor under the law which gives staff and field officers authority to administer oaths in military matters.

British Government After Information.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, was at the capitol today, making inquiries regarding methods of congress, the information being collected at the request of the British government. Information regarding other branches of the government also is sought.

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ONCE TALENTED LAWYER, J. C. SHUMAKER, DEAD

Among the First to Take Up Corporation Law as a Specialty Here.

John C. Shumaker, once one of the rising lawyers of the state, and one of the first in Pittsburgh to take up corporation law as a specialty, died Wednesday evening. He was well known in Pittsburgh, being a familiar figure in Fifth avenue and Smithfield street at night.

Shumaker was born in Chambersburg about 52 years ago, the son of the principal of Wilson academy. He enjoyed a first-class education, was admitted to the bar and rapidly acquired practice in his native town. During the late Robert E. Pattison's first term as governor he was deputy secretary of the commonwealth. The special practice and knowledge he gained during his term in this office led him to locate in Pittsburgh, where he entered a partnership with ex-Lieut.-Gov. Walter Lyon. The firm rapidly forged to the front, but in a couple of years the partnership was dissolved and Shumaker's practice gradually left him. He had married into a prominent Pittsburgh family.

Shumaker's body was sent to Chambersburg.

Christina W. Schoeller.

Christina W. Schoeller died at her residence 6379 Penn avenue, yesterday morning. She was born in Germany in 1831 and came to America in 1860. After her arrival in this country she was married to John S. Schoeller, a butcher in Oakland, then known as Riceville. A few years later they started in business in Smithfield street, and later went to the East End. This was 36 years ago, and she had been a resident of the East Liberty valley until her death. Her husband died 24 years ago. She was an active member of the German Lutheran church, Collins avenue. She is survived by four sons, John, Martin, William and Henry Schoeller, and two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Sautters and Miss Minnie Porter Schoeller of Pittsburgh. She leaves 33 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She was a member of the Ladies' Aid society of the German Lutheran church. The funeral services will be held at her late home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the interment will be held later in the German Lutheran cemetery.

Edward L. Warner.

Edward L. Warner, prominent in business in Allegheny, and formerly president of the Warner Glass Company of McDonald, died yesterday evening at the Presbyterian hospital from typhoid fever. Mr. Warner had been ill but a week. His home was in Aspinwall, from whence he was taken to the hospital but a few days ago. Mr. Warner was born in the Sixth ward, Allegheny, 30 years ago, and was educated in the North Side schools. His father, the late Henry Warner, was for 30 years superintendent of the Allegheny county workhouse, and at the time of his death was president of the Commercial National bank. Mr. Warner is survived by his widow and a 2-year-old daughter, his mother, Mrs. Annie L. Warner, and two sisters, Mrs. S. A. Kennedy of Chicago and Mrs. T. C. Dowler of Crafton. Mrs. Warner is a daughter of J. B. Hazlett of Aspinwall, yard master of the West Penn railroad. At the time of his death Mr. Warner was associated with Henry W. Armstrong of Allegheny in the real estate business. He was a member of the Aspinwall United Presbyterian church. The interment will probably take place tomorrow.

William Forsythe.

William Forsythe, aged 80, is dead at his home in Holland avenue, Wilkinsburg. He was born in Wilkinsburg and had lived in Pittsburgh until two years ago. He was for 47 years in the employ of the Pennsylvania railroad, recently as assistant foreman in the planing mills at Pitcairn. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Railroad Veteran Employes' association and of the South Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Wilkinsburg. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Catherine Forsythe, and two daughters, Mrs. James McGovern of Braddock and Miss Margaret Forsythe at home.

William D. Thompson.

William D. Thompson, aged 72, of Sharpsburg, died yesterday at his home in South Canal street. He was high constable of the borough for many years. He was a civil war veteran, having served in the Sixty-third regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, and the Sixth heavy artillery; chaplain of Custer Post, No. 38, G. A. R., and belonged to the Sharpsburg Presbyterian church. He is survived by his widow and eight children.

Henry Gress.

GREENSBURG, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Henry Gress is dead at Pleasant Unity after a long illness. He was 87 years old and had spent his entire life in Westmoreland county having been born near North Washington. He was married three times, his last wife, a sister of John and Joseph Moyer, of Greensburg, surviving him. He also leaves five children: Mrs. Flora Bash and Jacob Gress of Pleasant Unity; William Gress of Pittsburgh; the Rev. Daniel Gress of Center Hall, and Mrs. Arthur N. Granam of South Greensburg. One brother, Jacob Gress of Pleasant Unity, and one sister, Mrs. Isaac Small of Greensburg, also survive him.

Miss Edna Donellan.

Miss Edna Donellan, aged 17, daughter of ex-Burgess and Mrs. John S. Donellan of 16 Kenmawr avenue, Rankin, died yesterday from typhoid fever. She was a student at the Pittsburgh academy.

Obituary Notes.

Miss Clara C. M. Frederick, aged 31, died yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Frederick, in Grant avenue, Etna. She was a member of Emanuel Lutheran church of West Etna. She is survived by her parents, three brothers and three sisters.

DIED.

BEBOUT—On Tuesday, April 10, 1906, at 10:50 p. m., MARY L. BEBOUT (nee Saunders).

Funeral services at her late residence, 2115 Ann street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

DAVIS—On Tuesday, April 10, 1906, at 9 p. m., at her parents' residence, Oakdale, Pa., NELLIE GREENHAULGH, daughter of Hugh W. and Hannah Whitfield Davis, in her 21st year.

Funeral services at her parents' residence, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FREDERICK—On Wednesday, April 11, 1906 at 6:45 a. m., CLARA C. FREDERICK, in her 32d year.

Funeral from her parents' residence, 111 Grant avenue, West Etna, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FORSYTHE—On Wednesday, April 11, 1906, at 10:20 p. m., WILLIAM FORSYTHE, at his residence, corner of Coal and Holland street, Wilkinsburg.

Funeral services on Saturday, at 2 p. m. Interment private later.

GALLAHER—On Monday, April 9, 1906, at Denver, Col., ELIZA J. GALLAHER, widow of Dr. Thomas J. Gallaher, Sr.

Funeral services at the chapel of H. Samson, 433 Sixth avenue, on Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

HAYS—On Thursday, April 12, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Cowell, Sprague street, Wilmerding, Pa., Mrs. EVALINE HAYS, widow of James S. Hays, in her 74th year.

Services Saturday, April 14, 1906, at 1 p. m. Funeral private at a later hour. Trains leave Union station, at 12:10 and 12:20.

JONES—Suddenly, on Wednesday, April 11, 1906, at 2:45 p. m., JOHN P., husband of the late Margaret Jones aged 61 years, 1 month and 27 days.

Funeral services at his late residence, 348 Soho street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at a later hour.

[Cleveland and Alliance (O.) papers please copy].

LYNCH—On Wednesday afternoon, April 11, 1906, at 3 o'clock, at the residence, 257 Winebiddle avenue, HENRY J. LYNCH, in the 81st year of his age.

Funeral services at St. Luke's P. E. church, Pearl street, on Saturday, at 3 p. m.

MACKERT—On Tuesday, April 10, 1906, at 8 p. m., at Mercy hospital, FRANCES LORETTA MACKERT (nee Madden), beloved wife of Frank A. Mackert, aged 26 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 7479 Delmar way, Swissvale, on Friday morning at 10 a. m. Services at St. Anslem church at 10:15. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Cleveland (O.), Denver and Greeley (Col.) papers please copy.]

SHUMAKER—On Wednesday evening, April 11, 1906, JOHN C. SHUMAKER.

Interment at Chambersburg, Pa.

THOMPSON—On Thursday, April 12, 1906, at 2:45 a. m., WILLIAM D. THOMPSON, in his 73d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1831 S. Canal street, Sharpsburg, Pa., on Saturday, at 2 p. m. George A. Custer Post 38, G. A. R., and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

[Baltimore (Md.) papers please copy.]

WARNER—On Thursday, April 12, 1906, at 6:45 p. m., at Presbyterian hospital, Allegheny, EDWARD L. WARNER, husband of Jessie Hazlett Warner, in his 31st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Aspinwall, Pa. Time will be given later.

YOST—Suddenly, on Thursday, April 12, 1906, at 2:30 a. m., at her home, 520 Chester avenue, Allegheny, Pa., ELIZA YOST, beloved wife of Jacob Yost (nee Caldwell), in the 68th year of her age.

Notice of funeral later.

JAMES M. FULLERTON,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR,
2007 Fifth Avenue.

FLORAL EMBLEMS
A. M. MURDOCH,
Court 2222. 250 Fifth Avenue.

BODY OF JAMES A. BAILEY TO BE BURIED SATURDAY

There Will Be No Performance of the Circus at Madison Square Garden on the Day of the Funeral.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., April 12.—Announcement was made here this afternoon that funeral services over the body of James A. Bailey, owner of Barnum and Bailey's circus, will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at his late home, "The Knolls."

The services, which will be private, will be conducted by the Rev. Harry H. Beatty, pastor of the Mount Vernon Methodist Episcopal church. Only members of the family and Mr. Bailey's most intimate associates and friends will be present. Interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery.

There will be no performance of Barnum and Bailey's circus at Madison Square garden on the day of the funeral. During the day scores of telegrams were received by Mrs. Bailey from well-known persons in different parts of the country expressing sympathy and condolence.

Detectives Recover Stolen Gem.

Miss Lottie Stewart of 96½ Forty-fifth street was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Crooks and Riley on a charge of the larceny of a $300 diamond from the residence of J. L. Henry, 418 Euclid avenue. She had gone to the house in answer to an advertisement for a domestic and Mr. Henry's sister missed the ring after the woman had departed. The ring was recovered.

For Greater Coal Storage.

HARRISBURG, April 12.—The Susquehanna Coal Company, which operates practically all of the anthracite coal mines in the Lykens Valley region, has given a contract to a Philadelphia firm for the erection of three additional storage floors with a capacity of 35,000 tons each, at McClellan, Dauphin county.

Child Drowns in Cistern.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., April 12.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Oberdier of New Marseill, this afternoon missed their two-year-old daughter and found her floating in an open cistern. She died soon after being rescued.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows:

Gustav Aupperle, Minnie Kress; Hugh Bigley, Elizabeth Naylor; George Schusler, Lizzie Pilat; Albert F. Preston, Olive L. Kerr; Harry Boyles, Ella Bird; Thomas Fleming, Bertha Mattingson; George Goodman, Frances Williams; Ernest Bengshaw, Maud Parks; Charles Carnegie, Margie Dumont; Earl C. Lindsay, Lois H. Whitmarsh, all of Pittsburgh.

Gus Adams, Ida Sank; Howard P. Langworthy, Lydia E. Miller; S. Frank Rawel, Margaret M. Walther; Elmer L. Riesick, Malissa A. Richey, Vernon W. Wagner, Eldora McCall, all of Allegheny.

H. W. McAfoose, Mary R. Geary, Kittanning.

Glenn Hiam, Minnie Cockrell, McKees Rocks.

Harry M. Reuber, Cora Alt, Montooth.

Ed. Messenger, Wilkinsburg, Grace Burton, Pittsburgh; John M. Taylor, Turtle Creek, Anna B. Soles, Braddock; William C. Starkey, Zionsville, Anna M. Miller, Wilkinsburg; J. F. Barclay, Pittsburg, C. E. Travers, Heidelberg.

SICK ALL THE TIME

UNTIL SHE TOOK DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

Then She Ceased to Be an Invalid and Has Been a Well Woman Ever Since.

"I suffered all the time, practically, from sickness of the stomach, dizziness or swimming in my head and pain in my back. Now I am entirely free from discomfort of that sort. I am not only able to keep on my feet, but to do my work as a teacher, and to enjoy the pleasures that come through the possession of good health."

That is the statement of Mrs. B. B. Ford, of Pushmataha, Miss., who continues as follows: "I am glad to tell others that my troubles were all remedied by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are indeed a woman's friend. I heard of them first from an acquaintance in Arkansas who had found out their merits by actual use. What she said prompted me to try them in September of 1904, and within three weeks I experienced such relief that I knew that they must be adapted to the needs of my case. After using them for a short while longer I was thoroughly convinced of their helpfulness. I ceased to be an invalid, I became and have since remained a well woman, and the reason why is simply that I took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

The pills which Mrs. Ford so justly praises cure the chief ailment of women by thoroughly renovating the blood. They make functional action regular and painless, banish headaches, languor, nervousness, create appetite, promote digestion, put color in the complexion, build up strength and in a word enable women to reach and maintain full physical perfection.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood and give strength and tone to every part of the body. In this way they have cured serious disorders of the blood and nerves, such as rheumatism, sciatica, anaemia, nervousness, headaches; partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitus' dance and all forms of weakness in either sex.

Every woman should send to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a valuable booklet, entitled "Plain Talks to Women." It will be mailed free in sealed envelope to the address of any applicant. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

THE MOST REFRESHING DRINK IN THE WORLD
Coca-Cola
At all Soloons, Groceries, Cafes and Stands.
5c. a Bottle.

It is all a mistake to think that insurance will prevent fire. Its mission is to prevent loss.

WESTERN INSURANCE CO.,
501-5 Arrott Bldg.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure bad, foul stomach and constipation and so help to cure nearly every disease of mankind. They regulate, tone up and invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

McElveen's
(McElveen Furniture Co.)

The Best Furniture for the Home

The home that is equipped with furniture of the McElveen standard cannot but appeal to all who admire the highest type of furniture excellence. And if you are contemplating the purchase of furniture for any part of your home, it is pertinent to remind you that this stock is much the largest and that it is so varied as to gratify all tastes. Besides, exceptional value for price is a factor which has always distinguished this store.

McElveen's
(McElveen Furniture Co.)
526-527-529 PENN AVENUE

B. & B.

Easter Millinery—the final week before Easter, from Fashion's standpoint, the most important week of the year, finds our Millinery sales at the highest point of success.

Easter Millinery for women, for misses, for children.

This section abounds in a wealth of color and style.

Here are gathered the Artistic creations from Parisian Artists, and also New York Models, and the beautiful hats from our own designers.

Yes, it is here you will find the cream of the season's Fashions—the well-deserved reputation enjoyed by this Millinery department as a center for the best in style, in material, and in variety of choice, is second to none in the country.

The woman of taste realizes that nowhere will the same money buy so much style as here.

For Easter we are showing a variety of new styles in the Tailored Hat, the Dress Hat and Evening Hat, that are really marvels of Millinery taste and excellence, at $5.00 to $15.00.

Our Hats range in price all the way to $75.00.

Silks—Two important Summer Silk items.

Lot No. 1—Striped Broche Silks in beautiful attractive Spring combinations, **55c.**

Just the thing for neat Spring Shirtwaist Suits—a good quality—made to sell for 75c—season has been somewhat backward and the manufacturer sold us one of his choicest productions at a loss—the gain is yours.

Lot No. 2—Striped Taffeta Silks—full 26 inches wide, **65c.**

Fine lustrous Silks the kind wanted—see this lot—you'll be surprised at the good quality and attractive style—will appeal to neat dressers.

A full line of Maids' or Misses' Dresses—light or dark colors—Percale and Gingham, prices $1.00 to $4.50.

An especial good value, tailor finish effects—stripes and plain colors, at $1.75, $2.00 and $2.25.

An Easter showing of Confirmation Waists for boys, in figured Madras, ranging in price from 50c to $1.25.

A Pleated Linen Waist Negligee Blouse, $1.75.

Handkerchief display — A splendid showing of 25c Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and embroidered, scalloped and embroidered, and lace trimmed.

A full line of plain hemstitched, all-linen Handkerchiefs, 15c quality for **10c.**

Initial Handkerchiefs, imported, all linen, laundered or unlaundered, **12½c** each—a special value.

$1.50 is the price at which men will get most extensive and interesting Shirt picking—Lowest price you can get Shirts made of any Imported Cloths.

These are cloths of quality and Shirts of merit—principally Scotch Madras.

The workmanship is of the best—just as good in every particular as a custom made Shirt.

Each of the several brands has its own features—such as the neck cut high or the neck cut low—shirred or fitted back—or some other modified detail, which enables us to fit each and all of you perfectly.

Our assortment of $1.50 Shirts this season is larger and choicer than we've ever shown.

Comprises many new ideas and Novelties particularly suitable for Easter.

The "Princess" Belt, with prong, worn either in front or behind, Black, White, Light Blue and Pale Pink, 50c.

Ten different styles Belts—black and all colors, 50c.

Other Belts from 25c to $5.00.

Belts studded with cut steel, etc.

Beaded Bags—foreign—$1.00 to $7.00.

Beaded Purses, 25c, 50c, $1.00.

Sparkling Cut Glass—this unusually important Easter Sale is the outcome of an immense purchase of rich Cut Glass from several of the leading manufacturers, and it is creating the keenest enthusiasm this department has ever enjoyed.

This is the highest type of rich Cut Glass made, despite the low prices quoted.

Cut Glass—there is a magnetism in every word—what woman does not admire the beauty of Cut Glass and delight in numbering among her household treasures some rare pieces?

This varied profusion, sparkling like the morning dew, offers unlimited scope for your selection.

Prices are exceptional in the extreme.

See our table of $5.00 pieces, regular values $6.00 to $7.00.

Cut Glass Vases, for Easter flowers, ranging in price from $1.00 to $20.00.

A collection of Cut Glass Candlesticks and Candelabras ranging in price from $1.25 to $7.50.

A new collection of the Marie Antoinette Ware and several new pieces in the Dresden China on display.

Jardinieres and Vases—for Easter Plants and Flowers.

Wide selection of splendid values.

Glazed Jardinieres, 6 to 12 inches, 10c to $1.50 each.

Art Pottery Jardinieres, hand decorated, 7 to 12 inches, 75c to $4.50.

Utopian Art Ware Jardinieres and Pedestals, $1.75 to $6.50.

Choice collection Flower Vases for long and short stem flowers—Cut Glass, Austrian, Venetian, Bohemian or Pressed Glass, 10c to $20.00 each.

Big shipment Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets, came in Wednesday—all sold.
Another shipment—20 Cabinets—arrived yesterday.
We are sole agents for the Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets—Best in the world, $11 to $29.

BOGGS & BUHL,
ALLEGHENY

To Reach the Masses, Which Includes All the Classes,

Use Gazette Want and Real Estate Ads

You can secure a servant or a room; you can sell needles or a piano; you can rent or sell properties from $10 up to $100,000.

Gazette Classified Ads Always "MAKE GOOD."

What More Can Be Said?

BLAME THIS CITY FOR ITS TYPHOID

Cincinnatians Say the Disease Is Carried Down the Ohio from Pittsburgh.

THEY FEAR AN EPIDEMIC

Pittsburgh's typhoid fever epidemic is being carried into Cincinnati by way of the Ohio river, according to the health officers of that city. New cases of the disease reported are double the numbers reported last week and considerable alarm is felt. Health Officer Davis yesterday declared the danger great and urged all the residents of Cincinnati who use the Cincinnati water, secured from the Ohio river, for drinking purposes to boil it. Last week only 15 cases were reported and four days this week have already developed 20 cases. It is 480 miles from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati by river, and at the present high stage the current averages about five miles an hour, which carries the contagion the entire distance in four days. The best medical authorities, Cincinnatians says, agree that typhoid fever germs live three weeks in running streams, although in a somewhat decreased number, and for that reason the small epidemic of typhoid is blamed on that in Pittsburgh. Health Officer Davis declares there is little doubt but that the contagion is carried to Cincinnati from Pittsburgh, and that Cincinnati is in imminent danger of a great epidemic of the disease.

The police will today distribute circulars written by City Bacteriologist Matson, showing residents how to prevent the outbreak of typhoid fever in their homes. Thousands of these circulars were printed yesterday and taken to the station houses. Superintendent Moore sent the following letter to the school boards of the city:

Dear Sir—You attention is called to the fact that the typhoid fever is at present unusually prevalent in Pittsburgh. For the last two weeks we have had about three times the usual number of cases. A number of the schools, probably a majority, have made provision for a pure water supply at the school building for the use of the children. It seems desirable that all should take this course and we urge upon you the advisability of taking some steps in this direction as soon as you find it possible. Doubtless the best means would be to procure a still for the purpose of furnishing distilled water. It might also be more convenient to buy distilled water for this purpose. If preferred some of the better forms of filters might be selected for the purpose. Yours very truly,

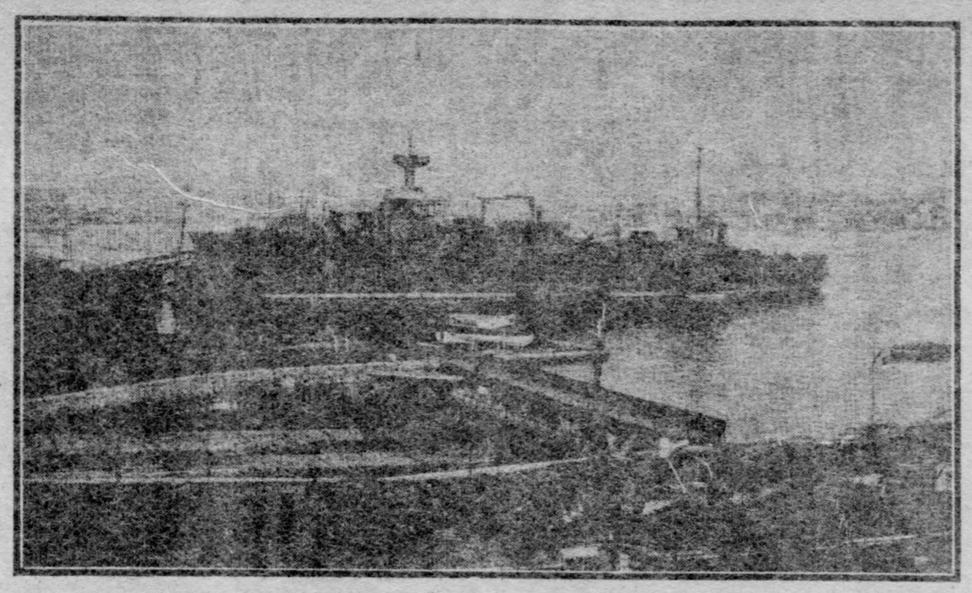
G. WASH MOORE,
Supt. Bureau of Health.

There was a big decrease in the attendance at the public schools yesterday.

Twenty-nine new cases of typhoid fever developed in the city yesterday, distributed as follows: Twenty-first ward, seven; Sixth and Seventeenth, four each; Eighth and Eleventh, three each; Nineteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-third, two each; Fourteenth and Fifteen wards, one each.

The first case of typhoid fever developed in Bellevue yesterday afternoon. The victim is Miss Mary Miller.

FRANCE'S NEWEST NAVAL DEFENDER



New Battleship "Justice" Now Under Construction at the Dock Yards of La Seyne. It Has 15,000 Tons Displacement and Will Have a Speed of 18 Knots.

WORKMEN HAVE MARVELOUS ESCAPE FROM AWFUL DEATH

Big Flywheel Bursts in McKeesport Mill Doing $25,000 Damage, but All of 200 Men Got Off Without Injury.

The great flywheel at the National rolling mill in McKeesport was more merciful than its predecessors. It burst yesterday, wrecked roof, walls, supports and machinery, inflicting damage that cannot be restored short of the expenditure of $25,000, but not taking a single life or hurting a single man.

This is the third similar accident that has happened within the last 18 months, the other two wheels having a record of many killed and wounded. Whether the mill "ran away" because of the negligence of somebody in charge, or whether it had become deteriorated is not known. The company will give out little information.

Two hundred men were working in the department where the 24-foot, 10-ton wheel revolved at lightning speed. It suddenly burst with a terrific report. It flew into a thousand pieces, sending steel projectiles through the roof and the walls, and tearing through the machinery. A cloud of dust arose and so filled the mill the workmen who had started to run had to stand still, listening to the grinding of the ruin.

When the dust settled it was found that nobody was injured, and the workmen, remembering the other accidents, cheered. Pieces of the wheel weighing 150 pounds were found 200 feet away.

THOUSANDS OBEY CALL OF THE WILD

Great Crowd Turns Out for Hagenbeck's Circus—Canvas Jammed to Tent Poles.

TWO PERFORMANCES TODAY

The small boy—and children of a larger growth, too—began to live yesterday. To have the opening game of the baseball season and the first circus come on the same day was pretty nearly too much. But the Pirates put on their show in St. Louis, while Hagenbeck's was set up at the old circus stand at Winebiddle and Gross streets, off Penn avenue, where fully 15,000 people gathered. And while the ground was still somewhat soggy from recent rains, the breath of spring was in the air and everybody was happy. They came in ones and twos and in bunches. Long before 8 o'clock, when the show was billed to begin, the grounds filled up with a laughing, good-natured lot of people whose sole object in life was to be amused. They jostled and jammed this way and that and crowded and pushed, but every one laughed and took it all as though they had expected just such treatment.

Because of the show's late arrival from Wheeling yesterday it was impossible to give a street parade, and an afternoon performance was also out of the question. But by great hustling the big tents were got in readiness for the evening show. Large as the main canvas is, it was not able to accommodate all who wanted in. Thousands were turned away and thousands more underwent the discomfort of standing all through the performance rather than miss it. Into the space between the seats and the ringsides they piled pell-mell, and so great was the jam that many of the features of the show had to be cut because the hippodrome course was filled with spectators.

The good nature of the crowd was inexhaustible. People in the seats yelled "Down in front," but it was all the good it did. For a few minutes the crowd would settle down and then some exciting feature would rouse it up and every one would stand to see what was going on. With every element of danger, the elephants, the cavorting horses and the wild animals coming at times in close proximity to them, the people who crowded into the arena behaved admirably. Even when several horseback races were run near the end of the show the crowd, although close to the course, kept within bounds.

Of the show itself, it was vastly different from what many people had been led to expect. The name of Hagenbeck has been so closely linked with animal shows that to see the trained wild beasts as a mere adjunct to a big three-ringed circus caused considerable surprise. Everything was bright and new and spick and span and the whole evening's entertainment went with a dash that was marvelous when one considers the circus only opened the season a few days ago.

Of course, the trained wild animals were features, and the marvelous "stunts" which the lions, tigers, leopards and polar bears went through made a big hit. But while these things were going on in the steel arena, the regular circus features were also being given.

There was only one trouble with the show. There was too much going on at one time. It was distracting to try and keep in touch with the whole performance. The "Four Aragons" in high wire feats, the trapeze performers, the high horizontal bar acts, the troops of clowns and all the regular circus features were as good as the best. So as a whole it was an unusual and satisfying performance even if the vast crowd did somewhat interfere with things.

The circus will give afternoon and night performances today, with a big street parade through the downtown district at 10 o'clock this morning.

Want to Sell to City.

The building committee of the Homeopathic hospital has decided to go no further with the plan of building a new hospital until the hospital property in Second avenue is sold. The committee would like to sell the property to the city, which is supposed to be in need of an emergency hospital.

Oratorio at Grace Reformed Church.

The oratorio "Stabat Mater" will be given this evening at Grace Reformed church, Dithridge and Bayard streets, by the choir, under the direction of J. Will Pearson. Miss Elizabeth C. McNally, soprano; Mrs. Harvey S. Fouse, contralto; Joseph Smith, tenor, and Thomas J. Thomas, basso, will be assisted by other well-known vocalists.

FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED.

Gov. Pattison's Condition Is So Satisfactory That Physician Discontinues Bulletins.

CINCINNATI, April 12.—Gov. Pattison's family and physicians were still more encouraged today over his condition. The bulletin usually issued at noon was not given out, the statement being made that his condition was so favorable that an official statement seemed unnecessary.

Later in the day Dr. Oliver announced formally that Gov. Pattison's condition was so satisfactory that hereafter only the night bulletin will be issued.

MUST ANSWER AT TRIAL FOR CALLING MAN SCAB

Because he called E. B. Johnston, a stationary engineer at the Jones & Laughlin steel works, a scab, and then knocked him down, Joseph Quillam, a P. & L. E. railroad engineer, is held in $300 bail to answer a charge of assault and battery. George H. Harris, an engineer of the Monongahela Connecting road, is held in $500 bail on a charge of carrying concealed weapons preferred by a striking switchman, S. J. Hess.

Benefit Concert for Unfortunate.

A benefit concert, the proceeds of which will be used to place Martin Timons, who is blind and an invalid, in the home for incurables, will be given in the Sixth ward school auditorium, Chartiers street and Washington avenue, Allegheny, Tuesday evening, April 24. Among those taking part in this entertainment are: Miss Gertrude Clark, Frederick Hill, Professor Criswell, Miss Campbell, Mr. Bates and Mr. Fulton, H. C. Reed and the Brighton quartet.

FEUDIST JUMPS BAIL.

Kentuckian, Charged With Attempted Assassination, Fails to Appear in Court.

HAMILTON, O., April 12.—Davis Y. Combes of Hazard, Ky., has disappeared and forfeited his bail here. Combes is one of the noted feudists of Kentucky, and was to have been placed on trial here today on the charge of attempted assassination of "Ruck" Cottongame, another Kentucky feudist, who has moved near here with a colony of Kentuckians.

Cottongame was the chief witness for the government in the cases against former County Judge Hargis, Sheriff Ed Callahan and Ed French, accused of complicity of the murder of Lawyer James Marcum at Jackson.

Celebrating Holy Thursday.

Holy or Maundy Thursday was commemorated yesterday with services in the Roman Catholic and Episcopal churches. At the Epiphany church Bishop Canevin celebrated mass at 10 a. m. At St. Mary's Episcopal church Bishop Whitehead officiated at holy communion, and communion services were held at Trinity Episcopal church, the Rev. Dr. A. W. Arundel and the Rev. L. W. Shey officiating.

Interest in Paula Edwardes.

Marked interest is being manifested regarding the engagement at the Belasco theater next week of Paula Edwardes in Paulton and Robyn's fantastic comedy opera, "Princess Beggar," which, according to authentic reports has scored heavily in other important cities and which, from all accounts, possesses unusual merit both regarding the libretto and music score.

PETER MAY ABDICATE.

Servian Crisis Is Imminent and Ruler's Cousin May Become Sovereign Very Soon.

LONDON, April 12.—The correspondent at Vienna of the Morning Post sends the following: "Belgrade telegrams give official denial to the statement that King Peter intends to abdicate. The denial, however, does not counteract the general belief that a serious Servian crisis is brewing.

"April 26 is named as the day on which the king will be dethroned and expelled unless he abdicates beforehand. A strong party is reported to have been formed against King Peter, but in favor of his cousin, Prince Arsen Karageorgevitch, who is now an officer in the Russian army."

IS FINALLY VINDICATED.

Ohio Man Is Tried Five Times Before Jury Decides He Is Not Guilty of Offense Charged.

RAVENNA, O., April 12.—After five trials, W. J. Jackman of Kent was today found not guilty of violating a screen ordinance of that place. Jackman was first tried before the mayor of Kent. His case was then appealed to common pleas court and at the first trial here the jury disagreed and convicted at the second.

The case was then tried on error in circuit court and there remanded to common pleas again for a new trial. At the conclusion of the last trial today the jury said not guilty. The costs will amount to several hundred dollars.

Must Be Careful With Explosives.

Three hardware merchants, George Keil, 4606 Butler street; John Whitney, Wylie avenue and Roberts street, and Scarborough Klauss, 3800 Fifth avenue, have been summoned to appear before Alderman Goetzinger on a charge of keeping explosives in their stores without government permit. W. H. Coster, inspector of explosives, who entered these suits, says they are intended only as a warning and, while these defendants may be let off with light sentences, future offenders will be punished severely.

VALUABLE WOLFHOUND DIES.

Canine, Which Could Have Sold for $2,000 Is the Victim of a Disease Not Known to Veterinarians.

DERBY, CONN., April 12.—(Special.)—Schaloste of Pernechina, a Russian wolfhound for which J. B. Thomas, Jr., of Simsbury refused to take $2,000 just before the dog was taken ill two months ago, died today of a strange bone disease that puzzled veterinarians and physicians.

There was a fungous growth on the left shoulder bone, and death followed amputation of the leg. Micrometic examination of the tissues will be made, and the body will be sent to the Smithsonian institute. The dog was bred by the Grand Duke Nicholas, measured 27 inches at the shoulder, was white with light tan markings and was 8 years old.

DEPEND UPON POLICE.

Anti-Grafters Giving City Authorities Chance to Fulfill Their Promises.

The Anti-Graft society is resting just now. It has not proceeded to clean up the disreputable resorts in the First and Second wards, waiting to see what the police will do. Joseph M. Dixon says if the police do the things they have promised the society will not need to act.

Members of the society allege that a downtown alderman leases property to disreputable women, and also that more than one councilman is financially interested in protecting disorderly houses.

RAILROAD OFFICIAL IS CALLED BY DEATH

URBANA, O., April 12.—Chares M. Bennett, a prominent railroad man, died at his home in this city today after a year's suffering. Deceased was former superintendent of the Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley railroad and also formerly superintendent of the Indianapolis & Chicago divisions of the Pennsylvania lines. Shortly before his death he was appointed superintendent of maintenance of way of the Pennsylvania lines.

You can always depend upon it. Piso's positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

SOLOMON'S

H. SOLOMON & COMPANY. Smithfield and Diamond Sts.

Men's correct attire for Easter

EVERY requisite of the well-dressed man finds best expression in the incomparable showing of Easter clothes at this establishment. When you enter our vast clothing store, the product of the leading clothes-makers is spread before you—the matter of selecting a satisfactory garment at the right price is easy, indeed, with such a stock to choose from.

"There is no better clothing sold anywhere"

Our clothing department is radiant with beautiful attire for men and whatever make of clothing is best in its particular line you will find here. We present the best fitting ready-to-wear clothing possible to produce.

Specially arranged before-Easter offer

We have anticipated the demands of eleventh-hour purchasers; those gentlemen who have waited until the last moment. This offer is made especially for today and Saturday only. The suits and overcoats embraced in this offer are of unusual value. **At $15** we will show you suits and overcoats you cannot find elsewhere under $20. **At $20** we will show you suits and overcoats that cannot be duplicated under $25. The garments show their value at a glance—especially in the materials—suits in the twilight gray, dark, light and medium shades in worsteds, cassimeres and cheviots; plain, striped, checked or mixed effects. Single or double-breasted. The new Parisian overcoats, also top coats and cravenettes in all materials and shades. Special before Easter sale prices $15 and $20.

$15 and $20

Fine showing of fancy vests and trousers

Embracing the smartest ideas in all materials; stylishly fashioned—tailored above reproach. Special before-Easter sale prices.

Buy your Easter hat today

A NECESSARY caution to some men, for right up to this minute they have either put off buying or it has slipped their memory. Better stop on your way to business and see the new styles—there is enough change in their get-up to make you want a new hat. Our hat dept. is keyed up to the fulfillment of any man's desires.

Men's Easter hats made by John D. Stetson in all the newest blocks to suit all faces and physiques. See the comfortable soft hat, the elderly gentlemen flexible derbies and the young man's nobby stiff hat. Price..... $3.50

Roelof's celebrated hat $4.

Joshua Turner hats, the equal of any $4 hat on the market. Fast attaining its merited position as the premier hat for dressy men at..... $3

Soft hats in all the new shades of gray to match suits, bound or raw brimmed, variety of dimensions. Prices $3.50 down to..... $2

Very special offer for Friday and Saturday before Easter. Men's derbies in newest blocks, such as Knox, Yeoman and Dunlap; newest Easter shapes are shown in this variety of $2.50 hats Saturday for..... $1.85

Magnificent display Easter haberdashery

WITH the advent of Easter, Spring styles in haberdashery are formally ushered in. An inspection of our stock will help you to decide on what to wear for Easter and the coming season. Special displays for today and tomorrow—special offerings for the last purchasing day before Easter.

Shirts in all the new styles, plaited and plain fronts, in dainty figures and stripes, also many novelties in dark and light grounds. Cuffs either attached or detatched. Prices, $1, $1.50 & $2

E. & W. shirts $2.50 and $3.50.

Easter neckwear in a profusion of beautiful colors. The various shades of gray and helio in the four-in-hand and bat wings. Prices..... 50c and $1

Easter gloves in all correct styles and shades for that special occasion, gray tan, green, black, etc. Prices..... $1 to $2.50

Easter hosiery popular solid colors such as gray, helio, Havana, Burgundy and myrtle; made of fine lisle thread; made of plain or silk clock stitching. Price..... 50c

Special offer for Easter in plain white laundered shirts, plain and plaited bosoms, two styles of plaiting, coat or regular style, attached or detatched cuffs. Price..... $1

Men's jewelry for Easter—A great number of novelties in the new English golf pins, either plain or jeweled. Prices, 25c to $2.50

French handkerchiefs to match neckwear, 48c.

Easter shoes: Stylish and comfortable

A MAN'S foot—like a woman's figure—looks best when it is well dressed and properly fitted. Comfort must go with the style. No matter how vain you may be, you do not want your foot squeezed into any arbitrary size. The shoe service we render is expert.

We have won commanding leadership with the spring lines of shoes we are showing. Every shoe embraced in our stock represents the latest developments and most expert work in shoe making. Our shoe department has come out of its shell like an Easter chicken out of its egg; and today and tomorrow, the two days before Easter, you will find the department especially prepared for your wants.

Our "Worthmore" shoes for men

Latest style, best materials, finest workmanship characterizes this line of shoes which are sold exclusively by us. All the new leathers, such as

Gunmetal, Patent Kid, Patent Colt, Vici Kid, Box Calf,

Price $3.50

Every new last in vogue; either button or lace style. Tomorrow we will show as comprehensive and as varied assortments of styles in the oxfords as we do in the high cut.

We direct special attention to our new "Fort Pitt" last for young men, the very swellest of the season.

"The shoes that are worth more."

ONCE FAIR COUNTRY IS ENGULFED BY A DREARY SEA OF ASHEN WASTE

Where Flourished Vineyards Now Presents an Appalling Picture of Desolation.

THE TRAGEDY OF VESUVIUS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NAPLES, April 12.—The following description of the situation surrounding Mt. Vesuvius was written for the Associated Press by Robert Underwood Johnson, associate editor of the Century Magazine:

"I had the unexpected opportunity to realize the magnitude of the disaster by personal observation in a trip entirely around Vesuvius. Since the Chicago fire I have seen nothing so terribly impressive. Twenty years will not repair the damage, including the destruction of four whole villages. With a change of wind or slightly greater propulsion of the seismic force the same fate might extend to other segments of the circle of which Vesuvius is the center. We caught a train from Torre Annunziata, three miles this side of Pompeii and two miles from the southern end of the wedge of lava which destroyed Bosco Trecase. We had a magnificent view of the eruption, eight miles away. Rising at an angle of 50 degrees the vast mass of tumult roundness was beautifully accentuated by the full moon, shifting momentarily into new forms and drifting south in low, black clouds of ashes and cinders, reaching to Capri. At Torre del Greco we ran under this terrifying pall, apparently a hundred feet above, the solidity of which was soon revealed by the moonlight. The torches of the railway guards added to the effect, but greatly relieved the sulphurous darkness.

Stopped at Portals of the Dead.

"We reached Torre Annunziata at 3 in the morning. There was little suggestion of a disaster as we trudged through the sleeping town to the lava, two miles away. The brilliant moon gave us a superb view of the volcano, a gray-brown mass rising, expanding and curling in with a profile like a monstrous Cyclopean face. But nothing in mythology gives a suggestion of the fascination of this awful force, presenting the sublime beauty above, but in its descent filled with the mysterious malignance of God's underworld.

"We reached the lava at a picturesque, cypress-planted cemetery on the northern boundary of Torre Annunziata. It was as if the dead had effectually cried out to arrest the crushing river of flame which pitilessly engulfed the statue of St. Anne, with which the people of Bosco Reale tried to stay it, as at Catania, the veil of St. Agathe is said to have stayed a similar stream from Mt. Etna.

"We climbed on the lava. It was cool above, but still alive with fire below. We could see dimly the extent of the destruction beyond the barrier of brown which had closed the streets, torn down the houses, invaded the vineyards and broken Cook's railroads.

"A better idea of the surroundings was obtained at dawn from the railway. We saw north what was left of Bosco Trecase—a great, square stone church and a few houses inland in a sea of dull, brown lava. North and east rose a thousand patches of blue smoke, like swamp miasma.

Beauty Even in Horror.

"All was dull and desolate slag, with nowhere the familiar serpentine forms of the old lava streams. In terrible contrast with the volcanic evidences were strong cypresses and blooming camellias in a neighboring cemetery.

"We ate a hasty luncheon before sunrise, when the great beauty of the scene was revealed. The column now seemed higher and more massive, rising to three times the height of Vesuvius. Each portion had a concentric motion and new aspects. The south edges flating toward the sea showed exquisite curved surfaces, due to the upper moving current. It was like the decoration of the side of a Greek sarcophagus. As a yellow dust hangs over Naples and hides the volcano I count myself fortunate to have seen all day from leaward this spectacle of changing, undiminishing beauty. My companions left for Naples after driving to Pompeii.

"I had not thought of further experiences except to compare the ancient destruction with the present. After three hours' sleep I went to the excavations expecting to return to Naples by the afternoon train, but here I met E. A. Bowen of New York, who gave such an alarming account of his experience on the train coming through on Monday in the darkness at Torre Del Greco, when the passengers in the crowded cars were besieged by screaming, excited refugees, amid a rain of cinders, that I concluded to return by the north, first visiting the eastern wedge of destruction which was central at San Guiseppe.

Caught in a Sea of Ashen Waste.

"With Mr. Bowen I left Pompeii in a car, expecting to strike the edge of the lava. What was my surprise to find no new lava at San Guiseppe. Four towns here were destroyed in different ways, namely by rain, cinders and ashes which could not be skirted, for they lay everywhere in a mass which had broken nearly every roof within the area of 30 miles by 16. From the lava which was moving several feet a minute, we had no difficulty in escaping.

"At Bosco Trecase the carbineers drove the people before the fiery avalanche, but the flimsily-built houses were no protection against the blizzard of cinders and ashes, tasking the roofs or strongly-built walls all Saturday. The wedge east of the volcano thus destroyed extends 10 miles at least, with a width of 20 or 30 miles.

"Fancy a rich and thickly-populated country of vineyards lying under three to six inches of ashes and cinders of the color of chocolate with milk, while above, to the west, the volcano in full activity, is distributing to the outer edges of the circle, the same fate, and you will get an idea of the desolate impression of the scene, a tragedy colossal and heart-rending. Like that of Calabria, it enlists the sympathy of the civilized world. It takes time for such a calamity to be realized.

Distressed Condition of Victims.

"The king, the duke of Aosta, and Premier Sonnino have been on the ground. For the present the roads are almost impassable even for automobiles.

"Two miles below San Guiseppe we struck cinders which the soldiers were shoveling, making a narrow road for the refugees. Our wagon driver begged off from completing his contract to take us to San Guiseppe. We had not the heart to insist; so the rest of the journey to the railway at Palma, eight miles, was made laboriously on foot for three hours, through sliding cinders. In many places temporary shelters had been built by the roadside like children's playhouses. Here women were huddled with their bedding, awaiting the coming of supplies which the army had begun to distribute. The men were largely occupied with shoveling cinders from the stronger roofs and floors into heaps three to six feet deep along the roadside. Many two-wheeled carts, loaded with salvage, drawn by donkeys or pushed by peasants were making their way along, the women with bundles on their heads or carrying poultry.

"In the square of San Guiseppe was an encampment of soldiers, with low tents. Near a destroyed church, in coarse, yellow linen shrouds, were the bodies of 32 of the 106 persons who there lost their lives. The peasants were sad, but uncomplaining; in fact, for so excitable a people they were wonderfully calm. As evidence of the thrift and self-respect of these we were not once asked for alms during the afternoon."

NEWS OF STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD

RIVAL LIQUOR DEALERS HAVE SERIOUS CLASH

Each Uses Different Method to Get Revenge and Police Use Clubs to Quell Riot.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BELLEFONTAINE, O., April 12.—A feud between the Burke and Longbrake factions at Lakeview, resulted in bloodshed last night. Heads were cracked and faces disfigured in a fight which the police of this city finally quelled.

William P. Burke and Daniel Longbrake run rival saloons in the village. Longbrake is a political boss of the village and is president of council. He secured the passage of an ordinance to so regulate the saloon business as to annoy Burke. After it went into effect Burke was arrested on five successive days for violating its provisions, and being tried on one charge was fined $50 and costs by the mayor.

Burke retaliated by coming here and preferring a charge against Longbrake and Mrs. Edna Murdoch, a widow of Lakeview. Three officers from this city went to Lakeview last night, found Longbrake at the home of Mrs. Murdoch, and placed them under arrest. When the officers had started with their prisoners for the carriage that was to bring them back here, Burke and about 50 of his friends surrounded the officers with the alleged intention of handling Longbrake roughly.

The officers fought to protect their prisoner and finally rescued him. The officers used their clubs effectively and after an exciting encounter put Burke and his followers to rout. Longbrake and the woman were bound over to the grand jury on Burke's charge.

OUGHT TO TRY AUTOMOBILE.

Duquesne Limited, Running 55 Miles an Hour, Hits an Italian and Ruffles His Temper.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—As the westbound Duquesne limited on the Baltimore & Ohio whirled through Rockwood at a 55-mile-an-hour clip this morning, Anthony Girobaldi, an Italian laborer, was standing too close to the track and the pilot of the big engine caught him.

The train was stopped and backed to the scene of the accident. The crew expected to find a mangled corpse but instead found an angry man brushing dirt from his clothing. The trainmen and bystanders assert Girobaldi was hurled 50 feet.

Wreck May Bring Punishment.

CUMBERLAND, MD., April 12.—(Special.)—Judge Reynolds of Mineral county, W. Va., has instructed the grand jury now in session in Keyser to investigate the wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio last Saturday when two trainmen were burned to death and three seriously injured. The judge said he had been informed that criminal negligence had been shown.

It never disappoints. Pilene positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

SAD HOME-COMING.

Returning from Work, Man Finds Wife Has Gone With Children and His Savings.

EBENSBURG, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Frank G. Crook, an employe of the Cresson car shops, on returning home for dinner found instead of his noonday meal a note written by his wife in which she announced that she had gone and that it would be useless for the husband to attempt to locate her. Mrs. Crook took her two children, aged 4 and 6 years.

As Mrs. Cook was custodian of the family funds the husband was left with but 25 cents, the woman it is said, having taken his pay check and about $500. A man who until recently boarded with the Crooks is believed to have induced the woman to join him. Crook is making no attempt to find his wife.

FIGHT IS POSTPONED.

Opponents of Elkins and Woodyard Will Carry Contest to Senatorial Committee.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., April 12.—(Special.)—The expected contest over the selection of delegates by Roane county Republicans to the senatorial and congressional conventions favorable to Senator Elkins and Congressman Woodyard was not made today before the Republican congressional committee.

The committee met with every county represented and no action whatever was taken further than to call a convention, for the nomination of a candidate for congressman to succeed Harry C. Woodyard, to meet here May 22. It was decided not to make a fight on the Woodyard delegates, but to bring the matter up before the senatorial committee when it meets, and to oppose the Elkins delegates.

Bell Company Makes Fight.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Mayor Hainer, City Electrician W. S. Devlin, and the newspaper men of this city were today subpoenaed to testify tomorrow in the injunction proceedings of the Bell Telephone Company against the city to restrain the latter from chopping down telephone poles or taking other steps to force the company to place its wires in the municipal conduit.

Tons of Books on Suffrage.

WARREN, O., April 12.—The national headquarters of the National Woman's suffrage association, situated here, has received a complete history of women's suffrage, willed to it by the late Susan B. Anthony. There are nearly 4,000 volumes of the history and it is valued at $7,000. The shipping weight of the books was 10 tons.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

NEW CASTLE—David C. Mayne, a Shenango township farmer, is dead, aged 61 years. He served in Company A, of the One Hundred and Eighty-eighth Ohio Volunteers in the Civil war. He was justice of the peace of Shenango township, and an elder of the Center United Presbyterian church. He was a Republican and was twice married. He leaves two children, Miss Margaret, at home, and Joseph, who is in Grove City college.

CONNELLSVILLE—Mrs. Gertrude Patterson Hyatt, aged 45, wife of C. M. Hyatt, a Connellsville business man, is dead. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mildred and Mary, and one sister, Mrs. Alice Hartshorne.

FAYETTE COUNTY HAS RECORD-BREAKING WELL

Gas Is Struck on Graham Farm and Adjoining Property at Once Becomes Priceless.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., April 12.—Shooting high into the air under a pressure of 947 pounds, gas this morning began to flow from a well put down by the Marietta-Stillwagon Gas Company of Connellsville on the Graham farm, on the National pike between Brownsville and Uniontown.

The new gasser is the largest ever struck in Fayette county and property owners in that vicinity are excited. Land cannot be bought there now at any price. The flow began after a depth of 1,850 feet had been reached. It increased during the day, and it is predicted that the pressure will be 1,200 pounds before the end of the week.

More wells will be put down immediately and a pipe line run to Connellsville, Uniontown and other nearby towns. The president of the Marietta-Stillwagon Gas Company is Rockwell Marietta, and the treasurer, Clair Stillwagon.

NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

LEBANON—J. Clargie Hostetter, aged 14, of Lawn, this county, was arrested here today by United States Marshal Lapp and arraigned before United States Commissioner Charles V. Henry of this city, charged with tampering with mail and taking money therefrom.

OIL CITY—Miss Clare W. White and Archie D. Merritt, both of this city, were married today at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. White. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. A. C. Ellis.

LATROBE—Invitations have been issued by Mrs. George Howard for the marriage of Miss Emma Wilson Howard and Dr. Thomas M. St. Claire of Latrobe. The wedding will take place on Wednesday evening, April 25, at the Howard home in Hagerstown.

LATROBE—George W. Baker, aged 25, has been missing from his home at Kingston since Tuesday afternoon. He was manager of Richard Johnston's general store.

GREENSBURG—The big lumber yards owned by J. Covode Reed were almost entirely wiped out by fire this evening. The fire was caused by locomotive sparks. The loss is over $5,000, partially insured.

BEAVER—The body of an unknown man was found beside the tracks of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad at Midland. He had the appearance of a millworker. The body will be kept in the morgue several days.

BEAVER—The spring meeting of the Womans Missionary society of the Beaver Valley presbytery of the United Presbyterian church met here today. Mrs. R. A. Cuppet of Rochester, Mrs. Robert Mulholland of Beaver Falls, Mrs. N. L. Wallace of Glen Osborne and Mrs. W. N. Aiken of New Castle spoke.

NEW BRIGHTON—Fire destroyed a stable owned by Oliver Molter. Six horses of the Ward-Mackey company were smothered.

You can always depend upon it. Pilene positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

New Hart Schaffner & Marx

Spring Suits

Made with that dash and swagger style that has won for this great firm the reputation of producing the swellest ready-to-wear clothing on the market. Price range

$15 to $35

Your Easter Hat. Ask for any style or any color—you will find it here in our two famous grades—$1.90 & $3

"Your Next"

ARNFELDS

1111-19 Penn Ave. Near 11th Street.

CRYING BABIES ITCHING SKINS

NO REST, no sleep. Itch, itch, itch, scratching until the tender skin becomes inflamed, sore and bleeding.

Harfina Soap

Aided by Skinhealth Ointment, gives the suffering little ones instant relief and sleep, and results in complete cure. Multitudes of women say Harfina has no equal for chafing, irritation, eruptions, dandruff, thin hair, scald head. Medicated, antiseptic, deodorizing, fragrant. "Breath of Pine Balsam in Every Cake." Large 25c. cakes; 3 cakes 65c.; druggists'. Made by Philo Hay Co., Newark, N. J.

HAY'S Hairhealth

Keeps You Looking Young

Always restores youthful color to gray or faded hair. Stops hair falling. Positively removes dandruff. A high-class hair-grower dressing, keeping hair soft, glossy. Does not soil skin or linen. This Great Hair Food, aided by HARFINA SOAP, heals, kills dandruff germs, stops itching, promotes fine growth. 50c. bottle, druggists'.

FREE SOAP OFFER Good for 25c. Cake HARFINA SOAP

Take this adv. to any of following druggists, and get 50c. bottle Hairhealth and 25c. cake Harfina Medicated Soap, both for 50c.; regular price 75c.; no free soap given without entire adv., with name and address, and 50c. for Hairhealth.

ARCADE PHARMACY. 5TH AVE ARCADE

BREHM, 634 Smithfield; CRYSTAL PHAR., Market and Liberty; OTTO A. SCHAD CO., Ohio and Madison, Allegheny; ERSKINE, 406—1701 Penn ave.; YOUNG, 1401 5th ave.; SCHUCHMAN, 59—103 Fulton; SUTTER, Wash and Allen aves.; MURPHY, 54 SHILOH, ALLEGHENY—EGGERS, 541 Ohio; GLAMSER-HUGGSTEIN, 423 Federal; MONONGAHELA CITY—MONONGAHELA PHAR.; BUTLER REED'S PHAR.; SEWICKELEY—KNAPP.

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VEXATIOUS ISSUE IS SETTLED AT LAST

Trusts Are an Evil Thing, So Decided in a Capital City College Debate.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The first annual debate between the George Washington university of this city and the University of Cincinnati, was held here at the Belasco theater, today, and resulted in a victory for the George Washington university debaters. Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, presided. The subject of the debate was:

"Resolved, That the effect of capitalistic combinations called trusts is detrimental to the interests of the wage earning classes."

The affirmative was taken by the representatives of George Washington university, who were C. F. Whitmore, District of Columbia; Louis Cohen, Wisconsin, and F. D. Couden, Massachusetts. The negative was taken by the representatives of the University of Cincinnati, who were Edward W. Pfleuger, Kentucky; John D. Ellis, Kentucky, and Isaac Landman, Ohio. The judges were Representative Charles E. Littlefield of Maine; Prof. S. M. Lindsay of the University of Pennsylvania, and Prof. J. H. Hollander of Johns Hopkins university. College yells were heard betwen the speeches.

A good sized audience was present. Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth were among those who attended.

STAFF IS NAMED.

Commander of Third Brigade Appoints Those Who Will Be His Aides in National Guard.

WILKES-BARRE, PA., April 12.—Brig.-Gen. C. B. Dougherty of this city, commander of the Third brigade, N. G. P., made public his staff appointments tonight. They are as follows: Assistant adjutant general, Maj. William Sharp, Ninth regiment, Wilkes-Barre; inspector, Maj. William P. Clark, Williamsport, reappointed; quartermaster, Capt. Frank Vandling, Thirteenth regiment, Scranton, with rank of major; commissary, Capt. Gordon Spott, Ninth regiment, Wilkes-Barre, with rank of major; ordnance officer, Capt. Carleton C. Jones, Ninth regiment, Wilkes-Barre, with rank of major; aides de camp, Capt. E. M. Carpenter, Wilkes-Barre, and Capt. Charles H. Bernheisel, Harrisburg; sergeant major, Joseph Phillips, Wilkes-Barre; quartermaster sergeant, Herman J. Ernst, Scranton; Maj. George H. Halberstadt, Pottsville, surgeon of the brigade.

PITTSBURGHERS WILL OPERATE BIG POTTERY

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., April 12.—(Special.)—The North American Manufacturing Company, proprietors of the new town of Newell, W. Va., today announced that their mammoth new pottery, the largest single pottery plant in the world, will upon its completion next fall be taken over and operated by the Homer Laughlin China Company of this city. The Homer Laughlin plant, largely owned by Charles I. Marcus and Louis Aaron of Pittsburgh, will be operated by the Wells-Clarke China Company.

Democrats Want Allegheny Positions.

A committee of three Allegheny Democrats—Eugene Buckley of the Fifth ward, James Tracey of the Sixth ward and James McKay of the Second ward—called on Mayor Kirschler yesterday and asked him to give the Democrats a fair proportion of the city positions. Mayor Kirschler promised to consider the matter.

GIRL FLOORS WRESTLER WHEN HE INSULTS HER

Would-Be Masher Receives a Great Surprise When He Accosts on Street. Is Placed Under Arrest.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 12.—Renowned for his prowess as a wrestler 15 years ago, William Murphy, still boasting himself an athlete, was floored last night when as a masher he accosted Miss Lillian Houck, 18 years old, on the street. Besides suffering the humiliation of defeat by a woman, Murphy was fined $50 and costs in a police court today.

Miss Houck's sister and a friend, a man, were standing but a block away from her, unaware of her encounter. At first Murphy passed her, but a moment later walked in back of her. When he reached her he grabbed Miss Houck's arm, saying: "Hello, sweetheart."

Miss Houck did not answer, but struck Murphy in the face. He fell to the sidewalk, but quickly jumped to his feet. The two were struggling when a patrol wagon approached. It was about half a block when Murphy tripped Miss Houck and ran. Policeman Sullivan saw Murphy running, followed, and arrested him.

CLOSE BIG COAL DEAL INVOLVING $100,000

INDIANA, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—A deal said to involve $100,000 has been closed by which J. H. Weaver, the Philadelphia operator, has transferred all his coal leases in this county, located at Hellwood, to the Penn-Mary Steel Company. There are 67 tracts in the property. In addition to this the coal works are recognized as among the best equipped plants in the county. It is generally known that Weaver secured these tracts three years ago at $15 and $20 an acre. His selling price is said to have been a little above $100 an acre, about 1,000 acres changing hands in the deal.

UNGRATEFUL TRAMPS STEAL FROM KIND WOMAN

UNIONTOWN, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—While Mrs. Margaret McAllister of Uniontown fed two hungry tramps last night they stole a watch and some jewelry. She missed the property after the men left and put the officers on their trail. They were arrested and the property was recovered. They will receive hearings on charges of larceny.

MILK DIET

Not So Good As a Better.

A merchant in a thriving interior town writes:

"I can recommend Grape-Nuts food to all, whether well or sick, as a preventative of or a cure for many ailments.

"For about six years I was unable to be in the store much of the time. I was suffering from gastritis and constipation, which confined me to the house part of the time and at last put me to bed and kept me there for almost a year. I ran down in weight from 150 to 85 pounds, trying to live on a milk diet. But I could seldom retain that, nor anything else of any account on my stomach.

"The doctors finally gave me up; then a friend advised me to change my food and use Grape-Nuts food and Postum Food coffee. I followed his advice and watched results.

"I commenced to get well at once, and in the first 8 months I gained about 40 pounds. The gastritis and constipation left me in a very short time, and in the 5 years that have followed I have enjoyed the best of health and attend regularly to my business. I eat Grape-Nuts every day, and usually make my entire breakfast on of a few teaspoonfuls of it and a cup or two of Postum Food coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

SOMETHING NEW SOMETHING BETTER

$5 WALK-OVERS FOR MEN

Shoe Elegance

¶These $5 Walk-Overs have been made to supply the demand for the finer bench-made shoes.

¶Formerly you paid six to twelve dollars. Now you'll pay five.

¶Hand-work throughout. Made by master craftsmen who devote their entire time, energy, and ability to them. Individuality in every pair—style, beauty, satisfaction.

¶Absolutely best selected stock is used. You've *read* that about other shoes—you'll *experience* it in the appearance and sturdy service these five-dollar fellows will give you.

¶Styles? Well, there are both high shoes and oxfords in shapely, graceful lasts. Enough variety to fit every foot—and fit it with a snappy, *comfortable* shoe.

¶Leathers? Patent Kid, Patent Colt, Chrome Patent Calf, Waxed Calf, Radium Calf, Gunmetal Calf and a host of others.

Ask to see the new "COSMO." It's illustrated here. Different and better. You'll like it. . . . . .

¶Like a soft shoe? Then see the *"Velvet" Vicis*—the most exquisite vici kid ever produced.

¶We'd like you to see these new Five-Dollar Walk-Overs. Know they'll please you.

¶It's quite an achievement to produce footwear for five dollars which will match up with the six to twelve dollar sorts—*but we've done it.*

¶*When you've said five-dollar Walk-Overs, you've said the final word on the shoe question.*

LAZARUS BROTHERS

"WALK-OVER STORES" PITTSBURGH AND ALLEGHENY

P. S.—Of course, our lines of $3.50 and $4.00 Walk-Overs are greater than ever. Hundreds of styles—for men and ladies. Don't need to tell you how good they are. Over 90,000 Pittsburghers are wearing them. *It's a walkover for the "Walk-Over."*

FORAKER OPPOSES BILL AS ILLEGAL

Ohio Senator Says Pending Railroad Rate Measure Is Not Constitutional.

WARM DEFENSE BY COCKRAN

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 12.—After a brief speech by Mr. Latimer in support of the house railroad rate bill, Mr. Foraker today took the floor on that measure and consumed practically all of the remainder of the day's session of the senate. He spent some time in the discussion of some of the amendments he has suggested to the bill and then entered upon the consideration of the entire question of railroad rate regulation, urging again the unconstitutionality of the pending bill from various points of view. He was frequently interrupted by other senators. Mr. Lodge spoke briefly in support of the practice of granting lower rates on goods intended for export than on those used in domestic consumption.

The feature of today's proceedings in the house of representatives was the speech made by Mr. Cockran (N. Y.), who, under an agreement made on a previous day, was given an hour to elucidate the subject of "general debate" on appropriation bills. In view of the announcement that Mr. Cockran would speak, the galleries were crowded and a very large proportion of the members of the house were in attendance.

Mr. Cockran, after a short discussion of the fiction of "general debate" and the failure of members to attend the sittings of the house while subjects covering the widest possible latitude were being illuminated, launched out into a defense of the Hepburn rate bill and the high position taken by the house, not only in the exceptional character of the legislation, but in a dignified way in which the bill passed the lower branch of congress. In this connection he ridiculed the constitutional debaters in the senate.

Increased pay for letter carriers, a subject which has been a fruitful source of impassioned eloquence for a number of years also gave the partisans of these men an opportunity to put themselves again on the record.

Progress was made on the postoffice appropriation bill, 18 of the 29 pages having been completed, but few amendments being made to the measure and these not changing the amount of the appropriation to any considerable extent.

Senators Allison and Dolliver of Iowa, had a conference with the President tonight, at the White House, regarding the railroad rate bill. Neither of the senators would discuss the talk they had with the President beyond saying that there was "a merely incidental discussion of the rate bill situation."

MORE VICE PRESIDENTS.

Westinghouse Machine Company Increases the Executive Staff and Makes Changes.

The directors of the Westinghouse Machine Company have increased the number of vice presidents from two to four, and have elected E. H. Shiffin and Arthur West to fill the new offices of third and fourth vice presidents respectively. Mr. Shiffen will be in charge of the sales department as heretofore, his field of work not being altered in assuming the new title. Mr. West, who has been chief engineer of the company, still retains that title and position.

William A. Bole, in consequence of his election to the vice presidency of the Westinghouse Foundry Company, has resigned as manager of works of the Westinghouse Machine Company so that he may better serve the interests of the foundry company, of which he assumes the entire management. The Westinghouse Machine Company, however, retains Mr. Bole as consulting engineer. Henry L. Barton, formerly general superintendent of the East Pittsburgh works of the Westinghouse Machine Company, has been appointed manager of works.

TO AWARD CONTRACT SOON.

Crippled Children Are to Have Commodious Home of Their Own in Denniston Avenue.

It is expected the building committee of the Memorial Home for Crippled Children will shortly award the contract for the erection of the new industrial home to be built in Denniston avenue. The home, in the three years of its existence, has been located in a house donated to the institution by the Thaw estate. These accommodations have become insufficient.

Basketry, sewing and pyrography are the chief occupations in which the cripples engage. In these many of them are quite proficient, $1,400 being the net proceeds from a fair held last June, at which articles manufactured by the children were sold. The officers of the home are: President, Mrs. Alexander M. Speer; vice presidents, Mrs. Henry A. Laughlin and Mrs. Henry E. Collins; treasurer, Mrs. James I. Kay, and secretary, Miss Mary J. Laughlin.

PLACE FOR INAUGURALS.

Washingtonians Ask for Charter for the Building of a Huge Amphitheater at Capital.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Senators Dillingham and Long, a sub-committee on the District of Columbia, today heard prominent citizens in favor of the application of the Washington Auditorium Company for a charter, exemption from taxation and certain other favors under the District of Columbia code.

This company proposes to use the iron work of the government building at the World's Fair at St. Louis and construct an immense amphitheater in which to hold inaugural ceremonies and similar great gatherings of a national character.

ORDER AIRSHIP FOR ARMY.

French Will Soon Have Three of the Large Aerial Cars in Commission.

Are the Same Style.

NEW YORK, April 12.—(Special.)—A special cable from Paris to the Evening Journal says: With two airships already in service in the French army, the ministry of war has ordered a third built, generally after the models of the first two, constructed by the Lebaudy brothers.

The new airship has a capacity of 3,000 cubic metres, with a motor of 70 horsepower, which will give it a velocity of about 25 miles an hour. It will be provided with explosive projectiles, which the four men them it will carry can drop where they will.

Congressional Committee Is Named.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Chairman Sherman of the Republican congressional campaign committee today appointed an executive committee, as follows: Charles H. Burke, chairman; James A. Tawney, H. C. Loudenslager, Senator George S. Nixon of Nevada; Nicholas Longworth, Sidney E. Mudd, James R. Mann, James M. Miller, Richard Bartholdt, H. N. Hogg, John W. Weeks and H. Burd Cassel.

Breaks Record for Rods.

At the Braddock plant of the American Steel and Wire Company yesterday the record was broken for the rolling of three sizes of rods, 0, 2 and 5-16. The total production was 431,280 pounds. The mill is trying for a new general tonnage record this month under the new manager, Frank H. Nullmeyer.

Mother Comes to Son's Rescue.

William McCarthy, who was arrested last Sunday evening on Frankstown avenue and committed to the workhouse the next day by Magistrate Negley, was released yesterday morning, his mother going bail for his mother, who came all the way from Hartford, Conn., to assist her son.

INVESTIGATE THE HEARST PETITION

Another Echo of the New York Municipal Election—Hint at Forgery.

JEROME TO LOOK UP MATTER

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, April 12.

Following disclosures that thousands of names on petitions which placed William R. Hearst in nomination were forgeries, and an effort of District Attorney Jerome to learn who were the principals in the alleged plot, an attempt is being made to ascertain if all the 4,000 names on Mr. Jerome's petition were genuine.

Who is responsible for this step cannot be learned. Most of the signatures on the Jerome nominators' petitions have been obtained, and each signer has been asked to swear whether he placed his name on the petition of whether it is a forgery. Armed with printed blanks, hundreds of notaries have been making a house to house canvass and hundreds of blanks have been sent through the mails.

When the district attorney returns to the city on Monday he may endeavor to learn who is back of this movement. If he succeeds there may be some interesting complications.

Assistant District Attorney Whiteside, who is investigating the Municipal Ownership league petition, is anxious to learn about suspicious fires in the Broadway Central hotel on Wednesday night. On the third floor of the hotel he has had, under guard, Benjamin M. Goldberger, who had charge of the preparation of the petitions. There also lived Joseph G. Kline, a notary, who has said he falsely swore the names were genuine, and two of the men who, it is said, wrote the names.

When the gongs were sounded in the hotel there was much confusion and nearly all the patrons tried to get out, among them were Goldberger and the others. Detectives were right behind them and none of the men made any endeavor to escape, but they remained on the sidewalk until they could go back to their rooms. There is a suspicion that some one may have sounded the gongs in a hope that the four prisoners, once on the sidewalk, would not hesitate to escape.

Fire Marshall de Malignon has an investigation under way. His report will be ready tomorrow. Mr. Whiteside had before him today Anthony J. Galotta, who was a candidate for the assembly in the Fourteenth district, and whose petition had many forged names.

U. OF P. ALUMNI SMOKER.

Local Graduates Gather and Discuss Details of Coming Production of "Shylock & Co., Bankers."

The University of Pennsylvania Alumni association of Pittsburgh held an enjoyable smoker last night at the Union club, at which details of the coming production of "Shylock & Co., Bankers," by the Mask and Wig club, were discussed. The show will be given at the Belasco, afternoon and night, Saturday, April 28, under the sponsorship of the association, and most gratifying reports of the advance sale were made at the smoker. It was reported that the entire house has been disposed of through the patronesses and alumni sale for the night performance, while the afternoon sale is highly gratifying.

President McMichael of the Mask and Wig club was expected to attend the gathering, but he was unable to leave Philadelphia, as the first full-dress rehearsal is to be given tonight. Thomas B. Donaldson, '99 college, who was one of the most famous comedians in the history of the Mask and Wig, and is now secretary of the general alumni association, came, however, and entertained the guests with a series of about 200 stereopticon views of the university. About 128 members of the association were present.

WANT THE OFFICE KEPT.

Controller Larkin and Mr. Morrow Believe in Delinquent Tax Collector.

Controller Larkin and Assistant Controller Morrow are much opposed to abolishing the delinquent tax office. Mr. Morrow has been in the city controller's office for many years. Both he and Mr. Larkin think the compensation of the collector should be reduced, but that the office ought not to be abolished.

Mr. Larkin said yesterday it was necessary to have an incentive for the collection of delinquent taxes and the commission feature, in moderation, would continue to bring good results. It is said that before the office was established the taxes remaining delinquent were from 20 to 40 per cent, but since the office has been established the delinquency averages about 2 per cent.

AIM IS NOT GOOD.

Beaver Millionaire Takes Three Shots at Intruders but They Flee in the Darkness.

BEAVER, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Burglars tried to force a door in the residence of William R. Galey, the millionaire oil operator, last midnight. Mr. Galey was preparing to retire, when he heard noises from the lower part of the house. Softly opening a shutter, he behold three men trying to jimmy the door. Three shots from Mr. Galey's revolver evidently left the intruders unhurt, but sent them scurrying away.

POLICEMAN IS BADLY INJURED BY STREET CAR

Officer Michael Conley was badly injured at Penn avenue and Butler street last evening. He had been on duty at the circus in the afternoon, and came in on a Penn avenue car to Butler street, where he intended transfering to another car. He got in front of a moving car and was knocked down. Two ribs were fractured and one lung pierced. He was removed to St. Francis hospital. Conley lives at 5106 Dresden alley.

Has Made Good Postmaster.

Christian H. Sheets, who has again been named for postmaster of Braddock, was first appointed to the office in 1890, during the Harrison administration. He has been postmaster for 12 years, a term of four years during the second Cleveland administration intervening. When he took the office it was third class, and without free delivery. The Braddock office now delivers the mail for Braddock, North Braddock, Rankin and parts of Swissvale. During the year just closed the receipts came within $3,000 of entitling Braddock to rank as first class.

Doesn't Care to Go Home.

Stanley Mieloids, aged 13, of 116 Newton street, South Side, was arrested last night. It is charged that a week ago the boy broke open a trunk owned by his brother and took several dollars. Since then he is said to have been sleeping in a shanty on Newton street.

Live Wire Burns Him.

"Mike" Marcouds, aged 35, a laborer at Jones & Laughlin's was seriously burned about the arms and body by a live wire last evening. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital.

Child Hit by a Wagon.

Pearl Timpson, colored, aged 11, of 18 Fountain street, Allegheny, had her left arm badly sprained and her face cut and bruised yesterday by being knocked down by a wagon on South Diamond street, South Side.

Elect New Police Chief.

At the meeting of the Carnegie council last night Jacob Streittenberger was elected chief of police. A second reading was given to an ordinance requiring that all dogs in the borough be kept muzzled throughout the year.

DURNOVO'S CAREER IS NEARING THE FINISH

Beaten by Witte, the Retirement of the Russian Interior Minister Is Predicted.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 12.—Appearances indicate that Premier Witte, having the best of the fight with Minister of the Interior Durnovo, the downfall of the latter is only a question of a few days. The government today authorized the holding on May 4 of a caucus of Constitutional Democrats elected to the national parliament.

Minister Durnovo has been compelled to officially warn the governors of provinces to exercise greater care in the employment of troops and police in repressive measures.

The commission under the presidency of Zeigler von Shaffhausen, which has been considering the project of Baron Loicq de Lobel, representing the American-Trans-Alaskan-Siberian Comapny, for tunneling under Bering strait and building a railway from East Cape to connect with the Siberian railroad, has completed its labors. The recommendations of the commission, however, have not yet been presented and signed. Under the terms of an imperial ukase the minister of commerce will transmit the report to the emperor for final approval.

It is expected here that the arrangements for the proposed big national loan will be signed in Paris on Saturday.

MELITOPOL, RUSSIA, April 12.—On account of proclamations having been spread among the ignorant portion of the population of this place, inciting them to attack the Jews by reviving the old bogey of the alleged sacrifice of Christian children by Jews, the city council has strengthened the police and taken other precautions to prevent excesses.

NORRIS IDEA IS APPROVED.

House Committee Favors Resolution for Election of Senators by Popular Vote. House Terms Lengthened.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A resolution providing for the election of senators by direct vote of the people has been favorably acted upon by the house committee on elections of president, vice-president and representatives in congress. The resolution, which was introduced by Mr. Norris of Nebraska, makes the term of members of the house four years instead of two. Both propositions are to be accomplished by amendments to the constitution.

Reasons why the term of members should be four years are stated to be because no party can inaugurate its policy in two years.

ARTHUR'S ESCAPADE COSTS STEWART PRETTY PENNY

Noble Arthurs, the Wilmerding messenger of the Adams Express Company who was arrested on a charge of stealing a package containing $171 in cash and $403 in checks, received a hearing last evening before Justice of the Peace T. J. Topley of East McKeesport and was held for court, with bail fixed at $500. He was unable to furnish security and was taken to the county jail. E. R. Stewart, agent for the express company at Wilmerding, will have to make good the $171 cash taken.

POLICE WILL ARREST VANDALS ON RAILROAD

SHAMOKIN, PA., April 12.—The Philadelphia & Reading railroad today issued orders to the coal and iron police to arrest all persons found destroying the company property. Since the suspension of coal mining the company claims that more than $1,500 worth of property has been destroyed on the local division and that almost every switch light between here and Sunbury, Pa., has either been broken completely or put out of service.

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Any number of celebrated makes here—and we'll take especial pains to see that you get a hat of the proportions that suit you best.

The "Sir John," a fine Derby, at $4.00.

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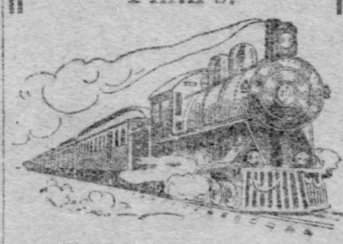
Men's Easter Fixin's:



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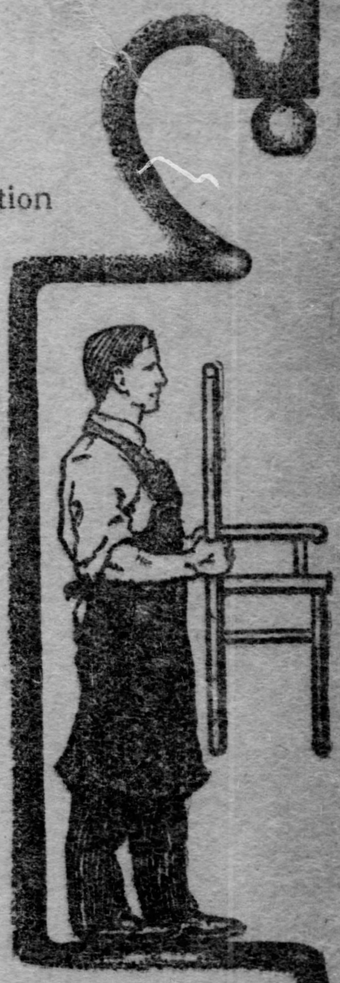

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Brussels Carpets, worth 75c a yard. Removal Sale price only..... 50c

Ingrain Carpets, worth 45c a yard. Removal Sale price..... 30c

Velvet Carpets, worth $1.20 a yard. Removal Sale price..... 80c

Axminster Carpet, worth $1.60 a yard. Removal Sale price... $1.10

Axminster Rugs, 9x12 ft., worth $30. Removal Sale price..... $20

Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12 ft., worth $46. Removal Sale price..... $30

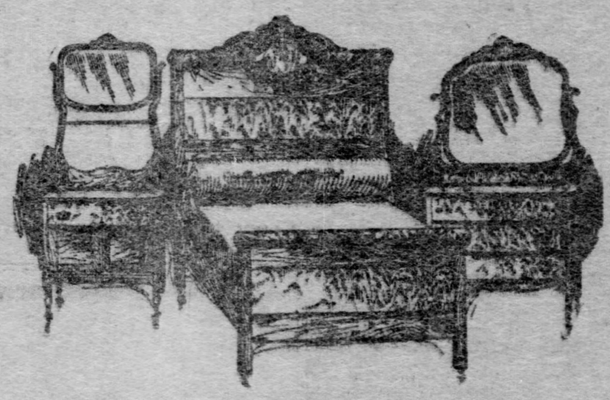
Smyrna Rugs, 9x12 ft., worth $15. Removal Sale price..... $10

Double extra Brussels Rugs, room-size, worth $15. Removal Sale price..... $10

Special Imported Japanese Mattings, worth 30c a yard. Removal Sale price..... 20c

Linoleums, worth 65c a yard. Removal Sale price..... 40c

Elegant pair of $5.00 Portieres, $3.00. Fine pair of $3.00 Lace Curtains, $1.50.



Spear's Bedroom Suit $45

This Bedroom Suit has been advertised right along for $75, but during this sale it will be sacrificed for $45. It must go; we have to make a clean sweep of our entire stock. It is made of excellent quartered golden oak, highly polished. The dresser is large with a pattern French plate mirror, the base has four drawers beautifully shaped, with heavy cast brass trimmings. The bed is large and roomy, having a heavy roll on both foot and head. The washstand is in keeping with the other two articles, and also has a fine mirror. It is the greatest bargain ever offered in furniture in this city. If you want it come now, 50 other styles, all at.....

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Just received—new consignment. This beautiful artificial Easter lily is just what is needed to make your home cheerful and bright Easter morning, stands 24 inches high and is set in an earthenware pot, bedded with moss. It is so artistically made that only by touching it can it be detected from the real flowers. It is worth four times the price. Buy it now and have it in your home during the entire week. It will last for many years. There is only a limited quantity, so if you want one come early.

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ST. LOUIS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *3.45 pm.

CLEVELAND *5.15 am *5.40 am *7.20 am *8 am *11 pm *1.30 pm *5 pm *11 pm.

INDIANAPOLIS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *3.45 pm.

CINCINNATI *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *8.15 pm *3.45 pm.

LOUISVILLE *4.50 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *3.45 pm.

COLUMBUS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.30 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm *3.45 pm.

TOLEDO AND DETROIT *11.30 am *3.50 pm.

ERIE *7.55 am *4.30 pm *8.10 pm.

JAMESTOWN *8.30 am *7.55 am *12 pm *4.30 pm *8.10 pm.

NEW CASTLE *5.30 am *7.50 am *7.55 am *9.30 am *12 pm *1.30 pm *4.30 pm *8.10 pm.

ASHTABULA *5.30 am *4.30 pm.

YOUNGSTOWN *7.40 am *9.30 am *1.30 pm *4.30 pm.

AKRON *8.15 am *5.45 am *7.30 am *8 am *6 pm *11 pm.

BARBERTON *8.47 am *7.40 am *9 am.

WHEELING *4.50 am *9.30 am *11.30 am *3.55 pm *7 pm.

MERCER and OIL CITY *7.55 am *4.30 pm.

BELLAIRE *8.40 am *9.05 am *1 pm *8.24 pm *7.55 am *4.30 pm.

ALLIANCE *4.50 am *8 am *1.55 pm *4.30 pm *6 pm.

WASHINGTON, PA., *6 am *9 am *12.45 am *5.50 pm *5 pm *4.30 pm *11.40 pm *7.55 am *1.55 pm *4.30 pm *6 pm.

STEUBENVILLE (Pan Handle Route) *5.40 am *8.50 am *3.30 pm *11 pm *11.45 am *5.40 pm *8.50 pm *3.30 pm *11 pm.

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Uniontown, Morgantown & Fairm't, *8:00 A. M., 12:00, *4:00, 8:00 P. M.
Connellsville Accom, *8:30 A. M., 12:00 P. M., *4:00 P. M.
Clarksburg and Weston, *8:00 A. M., 16:00 P. M.
Mt. Pleasant, *4:00 P.M.
West Newton Accom., *9:10 A. M., *6:40 P. M.

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wheeling, *7:00 (local), 7:30, *8:30, *9:20 A. M., *1:25, *4:30, *5:05 (local), *8:59 P. M.
Columbus, Cincinnati and St. Louis, *8:20 A. M., *8:50 P. M.
Parkersburg and Kenova, 7:50 A. M., *9:20 A. M.
Parkersburg, *1:25 P. M., *4:30 P. M.

All trains stop at Washington, Pa.

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleveland, Akron and Lorain, *7:45 A. M.
Chicago and Cleveland, *5:10 P. M.
Chicago Limited, *8:05 P. M.
Leaving Allegheny, River Ave. and 9th St. Butler, 17:00, 17:26, *8:15, 11:00 A. M., 12:15, 3:00, 5:30, *6:45 and *11:25 P. M.
Foxburg and Clarion, *8:15 A. M., 3:00 P. M.
Kane, *8:15 A. M. Erie, *8:15 A. M., *1:15 P. M.
Ellwood City, *1:15 P. M., *5:30 P. M., *6:45 P. M.
New Castle, *5:30 P. M., *6:45 P. M.
Mercer and Greenville, *8:15 A. M., *1:15 P. M., *3:00 P. M.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

In the court of common pleas No. 3, February term, 1906. No. 351. In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the laying of sidewalks on Watson boulevard, from Perrysville avenue to Perrysville avenue, Fifteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the twenty-fourth day of April, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

S. A. PURVIS,
J. H. DAWSON,
E. E. PHILLIPS,
Viewers.

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FOR THE EAST.

Pennsylvania Special	12.54 a. m.	
Manhattan Limited	12.55 a. m.	
Keystone Express	2.00 a. m.	
The Pennsylvania Limited	3.45 a. m.	
New York Limited	7.05 a. m.	
Atlantic Express	7.50 a. m.	
Main Line Express	8.00 a. m.	
Day Express	12.01 p. m.	
Chicago Mail (for Balt. and Wash.)	4.50 p. m.	
Eastern Express	4.55 p. m.	
New York Express	7.10 p. m.	
Philadelphia Express	8.50 p. m.	
New York Special	9.40 p. m.	
Chicago and New York Express	10.00 p. m.	
Philadelphia Special	10.02 p. m.	
Cincinnati and New York Express	11.10 p. m.	

For Buffalo, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily.
For Oil City, 8.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05 and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.
For Titusville and Corry, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week-days.
For Du Bois, 8.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 8.15, 8.20 a. m., 12.30 and 5.07 p. m. week-days. 8.00 a. m. and 4.55 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week-days, and 4.20 p. m. Sundays.
For Brownsville only, 6.10, 8.15 a. m., 1.05, 2.25, 7.20 and 11.25 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 9.50 a. m. and 4.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 1.05 and 2.25 p. m., week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City, and Belle Vernon, 6.10, 8.20, 9.15, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 2.25, 4.40, 5.25, 6.30, 9.40 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.50 a. m., 1.05, 4.50, 5.05 and 9.40 p. m.
For Butler, 3.05 and 5.10 p. m.

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Youngstown Local	†5.30 am	*9.00 am
Beaver Falls Local	†8.45 am	†6.35 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 1.10 pm	† 5.30 pm
Beaver Falls Local	†11.00 pm	†12.10 pm
New Castle Local	†11.30 am	† 4.35 pm
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	†7.20 pm
New Castle Express	† 9.30 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 8.25 pm	† 8.30 am
Beaver Valley Local	† 9.00 pm	† 4.15 am
Brownsville Local	† 6.10 am	† 7.00 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	* 8.30 am	* 8.00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	†11.00 pm	†11.40 am
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THE MARATHON MYSTERY

By BURTON E. STEVENSON,

Author of "The Holladay Case," "Cadets of Gascony," Etc.

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(Continued from Yesterday.)

There was no answer; only a dry, convulsive sobbing.

As Godfrey paused to look at her, the door opened and Simmonds came in. He closed it and snapped the lock.

"There's a policeman outside and one at each landing," he announced. "We'll look things over here, and then search the building. First, let's look at the body."

It was lying partly on its back, partly on its right side, with its legs doubled under it. The face was a bearded one, rough, coarse and a little bloated—not a prepossessing face under any circumstances, and actively repulsive now, with its gaping mouth and widely staring eyes. It was tanned and seamed by exposure to wind and rain and there was a deep scar across the left temple.

"Between 50 and 60 years of age," remarked Godfrey. "Pouf! smell the whisky."

Then, looking into the staring eyes, he uttered a sudden exclamation.

"See there, Simmonds, how the right pupil's dilated. Do you know what that means?"

"No. I can't say I do."

"It means," said Godfrey, "that somebody hit this fellow a hard blow on the left side of the head and produced a hemorrhage of the brain."

Simmonds gave a little low whistle.

"That could hardly have been her," and he nodded toward the girl, who had regained her self-control and was leaning anxiously forward, eyes and ears intent.

"No, of course not. Let's see if he was really shot."

They stripped back the shirt from the breast. A little blood was still welling from a wound just over the heart.

"That's what did the business," observed Simmonds, "and at close range, too; see there," and he pointed to the red marks about the wound. "He wasn't shot from the corner, that's sure. Let's see what he's got in his pockets."

The examination was soon made. There were only a pipe, a knife, a package of cheap tobacco, a handful of loose coins, and an old pocket-book containing a little roll of newspaper clippings and a receipt for a month's rent for suite fourteen made out to "H. Thompson."

"Thompson," repeated Simmonds, "and a lot of clippings. Can you read French, Godfrey?"

"A little," answered Godfrey modestly. "Let me see." He took the clippings and looked at the first one. "'Suresnes, September 16, 1891,'" he read haltingly. "'I have to report an event the most interesting which has just happened here, and which proves again the futility of vows the most rigorous to quiet the ardent desires of the human heart or to change the——'"

"Oh, well," interrupted Simmonds, "we can't waste time reading any more of that rot; it sounds like a French novel. The coroner can wrestle with it, if he thinks it's worth while."

He replaced the clippings in the purse, which he slipped back into the pocket from which he had taken it.

"Now," he added, rising to his feet, "we'd better get the girl's story."

"Do you know who she is?" asked Godfrey, in a low voice. As he glanced at her he was startled to note her attitude of strained attention, which, as he turned, lapsed instantly to one of seeming apathy.

"I heard you call her Miss Croydon."

"Yes—she's the sister of Mrs. Richard Delroy."

Again Simmonds whistled.

"The deuce you say! Dickie Delroy! Well, that doesn't make any difference," and he turned toward her resolutely.

"Miss Croydon," he began abruptly, though perhaps in a gentler voice than he would have used toward the average suspect, "were you in the room when this man was killed?"

"Yes, sir."

"You know him?"

"Only slightly," she answered coolly, disregarding Godfrey's astare of amazement. "His name, I think, was Thompson."

"You had an engagement with him here?"

"Yes, sir, on a private matter which cannot concern the police."

Simmonds passed that over for the moment.

"Will you kindly tell us just what happened?" he asked.

"I drove here in a cab," she said, speaking rapidly, "which I told to wait for me. In the vestibule I met the janitor, and asked to be conducted to suite fourteen. He brought me up here where Mr.—Mr. Thompson was waiting. I entered and closed the door. We were talking together, when the door of the inner room opened and a man came out. Before I realized what he was doing he had raised a bar of iron he held in his hand and struck Mr. Thompson upon the head. Then, standing over him, he drew a revolver and fired one shot at him. I had shrunk away into the corner, but thinking him a madman, believing my own life in danger, I drew my pocket pistol and fired at him. Without even glancing at me, he opened the outer door and disappeared. The janitor rushed in a moment later."

"Did your shot hit him?" asked Simmonds.

"I don't know; I think not; he showed no sign of being wounded."

Simmonds stood looking at her; Godfrey turned to an examination of the opposite wall.

"Miss Croydon's shot went wild," he said, curiously elated at this confirmation of her story. "Here's the bullet," and he pointed to it, embedded in the woodwork of the bedroom door.

Simmonds took a look at it, then he returned to the inquiry.

"Did you know this intruder?" he asked.

"No, sir; I'd never before seen him," she answered steadily.

"Will you describe him?"

She closed her eyes, seemingly in an effort at recollection.

"He was a short, heavy-set man," she said at last, "with a dark face and dark mustache which turned up at the ends. That is all I can remember."

"And dressed how?"

"In dark clothes; he wore a slouch hat, I think, drawn down over the eyes. I didn't see the face clearly."

The answer came without hesitation, but it seemed to Godfrey that there was in the voice an accent of forced sincerity.

"What did he do with the bar of iron?" asked Simmonds.

"As soon as he struck the blow, I think he—he threw it down. I remember hearing it fall——"

"Yes—here it is," said Godfrey triumphantly, and fished it out from under a chair which stood near the wall. "But see, Simmonds—it's not a bar, it's a pipe."

Simmonds examined it. It was an ordinary piece of iron piping, about 15 inches in length.

"Her story seems to be straight," he said, in an undertone to Godfrey. "What do you think about it?"

"I think she's perfectly innocent of any crime," answered Godfrey, with conviction. He had his doubts as to the absolute straightness of her story, but he concluded to keep them to himself.

"Well, there's nothing more to be learned out here," remarked Simmonds, after another glance around. "Suppose we take a look at the other room," and he led the way toward the inner door.

It was an ordinary bedroom of moderate size and with a single closet, in which a few soiled clothes were hanging. The bed had been lain upon, and evidently by a person fully dressed, for there were marks of muddy shoes upon the counterpane, fresh marks as of one who had come in during the evening's storm. An empty whisky bottle lay on a little table near the bed.

"I guess Thompson was a boozer," observed Simmonds.

"Yes," agreed Godfrey, "his face showed that pretty plainly."

"Well, the man we're after ain't in here; we'll have to search the house."

"Can't we let Miss Croydon go home? She won't run away—I'll answer for that. Besides, there's nothing against her."

Simmonds pondered a minute.

"Yes, I suppose so," he said at last. "Of course, she'll have to appear at the inquest. Do you know her address?"

"Yes; twenty-one East Sixty-ninth street."

Simmonds jotted it down in his note-book.

"All right," he said, "You'd better take her down to her cab."

CHAPTER III.

Tricks of the Trade.

Godfrey turned aside to hide the smile of satisfaction he could not wholly suppress; he had been adroitly driving Simmonds toward the suggestion.

For Godfrey wanted to be alone a few minutes with Miss Croydon. He was acutely conscious that here was a mystery much more puzzling than appeared on the surface; much more picturesque than the ordinary run of mysteries. Miss Croydon had said that her errand to suite fourteen had been on a private matter which did not concern the police, but Godfrey was not so sure of that. Of course, he could not compel her to explain it, and yet he felt that two or three well directed questions might give him the clew which he was seeking now in vain.

"Very well," he agreed; "I'll see her down to her cab. What are you going to do?"

"I'm going to quiz the janitor and then search the house. Maybe the other fellow hasn't had a chance to get away yet. I wonder what's going on out there?" he added, as they returned together to the other room.

They could hear a commotion of some sort in the hall, the hum of many voices, the shuffling of many feet . . .

The commotion swelled to an uproar as Simmonds opened the door and closed it quickly behind him. Godfrey heard his voice raised in angry expostulation and he chuckled grimly to himself as he turned to Miss Croydon.

He gazed at her with interest, searchingly, pondering how best to surprise her secret—at the bent head, with its crown of dark hair, shadowed by a little velvet hat; at the rounded arms, the graceful figure. The remarkable resolution and self-control with which she had answered the detective's inquiries seemed to have deserted her. She was sitting huddled up in the chair, with her head in her hands, in an attitude almost of collapse. A convulsive shudder shook her from moment to moment. They had been thoughtless, Godfrey told himself, to leave her alone with the dead man—that was enough to unnerve any woman.

He paused yet a moment, looking at her, at the slender hands, the little ears—and he pictured to himself what her training had been, how she had been fenced away from the rough places of the world, the unpleasant things of life. Certainly, she could never have committed such a crime as this, or even connived at it.

Yet she had lied—deliberately and distinctly she had lied. She had told him that she had never before seen the dead man; she had told Simmons just the opposite. Which was the truth? Doubtless the first; her first impulse would be to speak the truth; afterward, at leisure for a moment, she had mastered her agitation, had thought out the lie, and had uttered it with a surprising calmness.

Godfrey felt that he was groping toward the light. But there was another mystery more impenetrable still. What was it had nerved her to brave the title-tattle of the world, to endanger her good name, to run she knew not what risk of indignity and insult? A love affair? Bah! To suppose her capable of such an assignation was preposterous. One had only to look at her to see that. And yet, what other reason could have brought her to this place, alone, on such a night . . .

Suddenly she felt the scrutiny he bent upon her, and raised her eyes to his. Then she straightened up quickly, still looking at him, and he saw a flash of defiance in her eyes. Plainly, she did not fear him; he fancied there were few things in the world she did fear.

"May I see you to your cab, Miss Croydon?" he asked.

"To my cab?" she repeated, half-rising. "I may go, then? I am free? You have not——"

"Betrayed you?" he finished, as she stopped suddenly. "No; I don't intend to. Whether you know the man yonder or not, I don't for an instant believe you killed him."

"Oh, I didn't!" she cried. "I did my best to save him. But it was done so quickly—I didn't understand until too late."

"Nevertheless," continued Godfrey evenly, "I think you're wrong in trying to protect the scoundrel who did."

The color faded suddenly from her face.

"To protect him?" she faltered.

"I'm sure you know him. You could place him in the hands of the police, if you wished."

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.

Russian Loan Will Soon Be Made.

PARIS, April 12.—The negotiations between the former Russian finance minister, M. Kokovsoff, and the French bankers, for a loan of $400,000,000, are proceeding satisfactorily. The price of issue has practically been decided upon, but several minor details remain to be settled. The arrangements for the issue on Saturday or Monday next at the latest have been completed.

WANT FUNDS FOR RELIEF OF SUFFERERS IN ITALY

Victims of Vesuvius in Dire Distress and Two Cities Asked to Aid in Alleviation.

Mayors Guthrie and Kirschler yesterday received telegrams from a New York newspaper asking them to appoint committees to solicit contributions for the sufferers from the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Mayor Guthrie replied to the telegram as follows:

"If Italy asks for aid, Pittsburgh stands ready to help."

Mayor Guthrie will not appoint a committee until it is understood that either the Italian government or the municipalities in and about Vesuvius ask for aid. It is not expected the Italian government will ask for assistance, for that would have to be done through diplomatic channels, but international comity need not prevent the mayor of Naples or of any of the cities or villages damaged by the eruption from issuing an appeal for aid. In that case Mayor Guthrie will probably appoint a committee or name some financial institutions to receive contributions.

"Those unfortunate Italians seem to be in great need of help," said Mr. Guthrie, "and to help them would be a very worthy charity indeed."

The telegram received by the mayors of the two cities read as follows:

In behalf of the stricken people in Southern Italy, the Italian relief committee appeals to you and the people of your city for contributions. Hundreds, perhaps thousands, of lives have been blotted out. Villages and towns have been overwhelmed by the eruption of Vesuvius. Those afflicted are chiefly poor peasants. Many Americans who have witnessed the courage and hard work of these people living at the foot of the mountain of fire will wish to prove their sympathy in practical fashion. We ask you to appoint a committee of citizens in your localities to cooperate with us. Contributions sent to the Italian relief committee, as below, will be duly acknowledged and faithfully accounted for. Checks can be made payable to William Randolph Hearst, John Palmer, John Lorne, Angelo Legnilo, James E. Marck, August Sharbore and J. N. Francomble.

Mayor Kirschler announced he will probably appoint a committee today for the collection of funds. He will ask several of the most prominent Italian residents of Allegheny to serve on it.

The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company has announced it will accept and transmit free telegrams relating to subscriptions to the fund for the relief of the stricken people of Southern Italy.

FRATERNALS TO UNITE IN ERECTING HOSPITAL

Representatives of Over 40 Organizations Attend Meeting and Give Them Approval of Plan.

The project for the erection of a hospital to be supported by the various fraternal organizations in this vicinity was heartily indorsed at a meeting in Mendel's hall, Allegheny, which was attended by representatives from over 40 fraternal organizations. The meeting was called to order by Attorney David L. Starr of Bellevue, who is the father of the project, and the following permanent officers were elected: President, John A. Fairman; vice president, Henry C. Mendel; secretary, David L. Starr; treasurer, Dr. J. T. Little.

More than 15,000 members, distributed among about 100 lodges of 11 different secret associations, have signified their willingness to support such a hospital. These are distributed as follows: Odd Fellows, 22; Junior O. U. A. M., 15; Knights of Pythias, 11; Protected Home Circle, 9; Knights of the Mystic Chain, 9; Maccabees, 9; Independent Americans, 7; Elks, 4; K. G. E., 4; Fraternal Order of Eagles, 4; Loyal Orange league, 4.

Another meeting will be held in a few weeks, when the question of the location, probable cost, and plans for the new building will be discussed.

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KEEPER MANICURES NAILS OF A BIG TIGER

"Bill" Snyder of Central Park Zoo Performs Operation on One of His Pets.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 12. "Bill" Snyder, the head keeper at the Central park zoo, had a hard job this morning when he manicured the nails of Dick, the big Bengal tiger. A pair of stout pliers was all he used, and with them he pulled out the nails which have caused Dick much pain and the directors of the zoo much anxiety, lest blood poisoning cause Dick's death.

The trouble was that the two nails were of the ingrowing sort, and the discomfort caused Dick to walk on three legs. Whenever he struck the sore foot against anything he would give a roar that shook the building and start the other inhabitants roaring in sympathy. Five assistants were called in when the operation was decided upon.

Snyder climbed to the top of the cage with a heavy rope and tried to drop a noose over Dick's head. It was 15 minutes before this could be accomplished, for Dick objected and dashed madly about the cage on three legs, in an effort to escape. Snyder persisted and finally succeeded in getting the noose over the tiger's head and left forepaw. Dick was dragged to the front of the cage. With his lame paw sticking through the bars Dick was held fast while Snyder performed the operation. Gripping the nails with the nippers Snyder pulled and the nails came out. The sore foot was then soaked in antiseptic and the rope cut.

Freed, Dick darted to the rear of the cage and began licking the paw. This, according to Snyder, is just what the wound needs for Dick will thus keep it clean and eventually recover. Dick never had any use for Snyder, but now he hates him worse than ever.

EMPEROR JOSEPH WASHES FEET OF TWELVE OLD MEN

Ancient Ceremony of Maundy Thursday Is Carried Out Before a Large Royal Gathering.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

VIENNA, April 12.—Emperor Francis Joseph today, as usual, carried out the ancient ceremony of Maundy Thursday by washing the feet of 12 aged men who were on this occasion all nonagenarians, their united ages being 1,096 years. The ceremony took place in the large hall of the Hofburg before a large gathering.

The American embassy was represented by Francis G. London, second secretary of the embassy, and Mrs. London.

Before abluting the feet of the 12 old men, the emperor, assisted by the archdukes, personally served them with an elaborate repast of several courses, which, however, was not eaten immediately, but was sent to their homes. After the ceremony was concluded there was a bestowal of silk purses containing 30 silver pieces which the emperor hung around the neck of each of the old men.

GIRL CLAIMS LOST PURSE; JANITOR HANDS IT OVER

The McKeesport police are looking for a little girl who hoodwinked the janitor of St. Peter's Roman Catholic church yesterday by claiming a pocketbook containing $20 left in the church by Mrs. Robert Rowen of Locust street. The janitor handed over the purse when the girl told him it belonged to her mother, and asked no questions. Later the purse was found in the street empty.

PRESIDENT WILL NOT GO HUNTING AGAIN

Chief Executive Claims People Do Not Consider It Dignified and Make Comments.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., April 12.—Because the people do not consider it dignified and make more or less adverse comment on account of it, President Roosevelt will not again go hunting during his term in office.

This is the substance of a letter received this week by Col. Cecil Lyon, who arranged the wolf fight last spring in the Big Pasture of Kiowa county, where the President discovered John Abernathy, the wolf-killer, who is now United States marshal of Oklahoma. At that time an arrangement was made to repeat the hunt this spring.

The letter to Col. Lyon expresses the regret of the President that he will not be able to go hunting any more until he ceases to be President, because the office he holds is claimed to be of too great dignity to permit of his having any more outings.

The President says the people make fun out of the hunts to such an extent as to make them annoying to him. Col. Lyon had made some preparations for the Big Pasture hunt when he received the letter, which was in answer to one asking the President to set a date for the start.

Strike Seems to Be Broken.

HAVANA, April 12.—The only remaining vestige of the strike among the employes of the Havana Electric Street railway is the insistence of the leaders that it will be resumed on a larger scale.

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For the protection of the public we desire to direct the particular attention of all purchasers of Boys' and Young Men's Clothing to the label reproduced below:

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(Third Floor.)

Finest Hand Bags

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One of the biggest Western Stores ordered them for the star feature of a great Holiday Leather Goods Sale. The shipment went astray and couldn't be located until after Christmas.

They're 9-inch "Avenue" and "Vanity" styles, solid walrus and sea lion grain leather, moire lined, with Vienna leather handles, inside pocketbook frame and two outside pockets—securely fastened with top strap lock. Some fitted with small change purse—Hand Bags worth 75c at the lowest estimate, all day Friday for..... 25c

(Main Aisle Table.)

Lingerie Waists

Want some excitement? Come up to the Third Floor Today and see the good natured competition going on around the big tables piled high with lovely $2 and $2.50 Lingerie Waists. They're the very latest effects in handsome Batistes, French lawns and linen lawns. They are made in the latest broad-shoulder fashions with high or low necks, long or short sleeves and full blouse. Your choice Today from a splendid variety of $2 and $2.50 values for only..... 1.29

(Third Floor.)

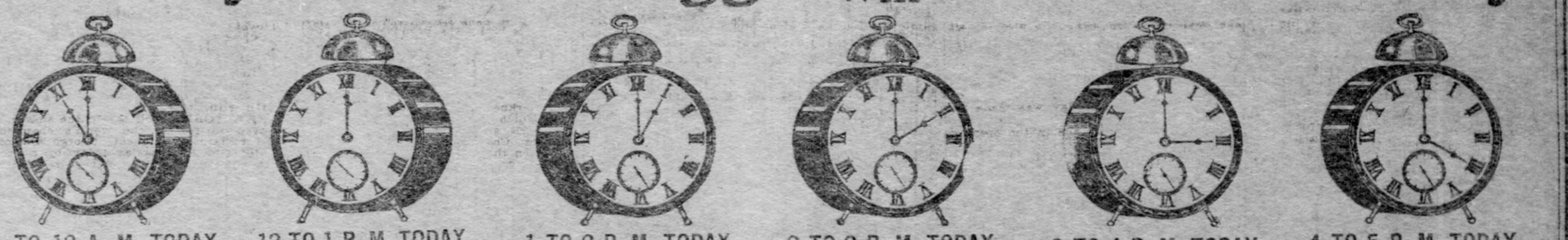
Cutest Boys' Suits

Something royally good at a rousing price all day Friday

The swellest Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits you've ever seen for so little money. They're made of royal, navy, red and brown fine all-wool serge with six rows of silk Soutache braid on collar and rich embroidery on sleeves. The trousers are lined throughout. All sizes from 2½ to 10. Fit out your boy here Today and count yourself fortunate in getting such suits for..... 3.35

(Second Floor.)

Friday Easter Eggs That Will Hatch Today



11 TO 12 A. M. TODAY.

Easter Novelties—Large cotton Chicken wearing straw hat, for 5c. Large Cotton Chicken with small chick under each wing for 5c.

Children's Shoes—Made of vici kid and box calf leather, either spring or low heels, reduced from $1 to 60c.

Boys' Suits—Norfolks with knickerbocker or regular trousers, double-breasteds, Sailors and Buster Browns, made of all-wool materials; also reefers—sizes 2½ to 16—regular $4 garments, 2.50.

Toweling—Extra heavy Russian crash, linen, Barnsley Crash and checked tea toweling, 10c qualities, per yd., 7½c.

Rugs—Handsome 9x12 ft. Rugs, all mill-made without the objectionable corner seams; axminsters, wilton velvets and Brussels, worth up to $27.50, at 18.50.

Babies' Cloaks—Made long or short style of fine washable bedford cord, lined throughout, silk embroidered cape, this hour 1.30.

Underwear—Men's Spring weight elastic ribbed Undergarments, in different colors, sell regularly at 50c, at 29c.

Waists—Made of white and colored mohair and veiling, prettily tucked, shirred and embroidered effects; $2.50 one, 85c.

12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY.

Stogies—"Pollocks improved Wheelings," regular 2-for-5c size, broadleaf, box of 50 for 69c. (Fifth Ave. Entrance.)

Men's Shoes—Men's heavy calf double-sole Shoes, with sewed and standard screw bottom; broad London tip toes; regular $2.50 Shoes for 1.60.

Neckwear—A regular line of 50c Four-in-Hands, Tecks and Bat Ties, in new Spring shapes and colorings, choice 19c.

Men's Hats—New Spring Derbies, in all dimensions; also soft hats and telescopes; in niched or creased crowns; also boys' Easter Hats—$1.50 Headwear, 93c.

Men's Pants—Made of worsteds, cheviots and fancy cassimere materials; $1.25 and $1.50 values at 79c. (Men's Department.)

Boys' Pants—Made of all-wool fancy cheviots, in light, medium or dark colors, with loops for belt, sizes 4 to 16, a 75c pair for 37c.

Gas Lamps—Incandescent Gas Lamps, consisting of needle valve burner, capped mantle, chimney and 10 in. opal shade, worth 75c, complete 59c.

Rugs—Hearth size heavy and reversible Axminster Rugs, in pretty designs and colors; regular price $3, this hour 1.95.

Kimonos—Women's nicely made Kimonos and Dressing Sacques, made of pretty lawns and percales, during this hour 25c.

Silks—36-in. natural white Habutai Silk, 50c quality, per yd. 29c. Colored Wash Silk Cords for waists and children's dresses; pink, green and blue, per yd., 29c.

Necklaces—New Bead Necklaces, in coral, jet and crystal, all colors, 21c. Gold Tailor stitched and embroidered Belts, worth 25c and 35c, for 21c. (Notion Department.)

Suitings—Linenette Suitings, in Alice blue, tan, etc., wool finished batiste and printed organdies, really worth 15c, per yard 8½c.

Dish Pans—Large size Dish Pans, made of best sheet steel, with heavy coat of enamel baked on, real value 20c, for 10c.

Portieres—Full sized Rope Portieres, in red, green and combination colors, every one worth $1.50, reduced to 98c each.

Silk Suits—Women's regular $10 and $12 Suits, made from fine taffeta silk; pleated and tucked effects, for 5.95.

1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY.

Boleros—Women's sheer white lawn Bolero Jackets, pretty short sleeve effects, dainty Valenciennes lace and medallion trimmed, $1.75 values, for 1.25. (Neckwear Dept.)

Photo Needs—No. 2 Brown Non-curling Films, 15c. The 3½x3½ size Films for 12 exposures, 10c. Same for 6 exposures, 20c. Amateur Photo Mounts, assorted sizes, dozen, 2c. (Fourth Floor.)

Ginghams—Fine Dress Ginghams, Fancy Zephyr Ginghams and Plain Zephyr Ginghams, worth a shilling, this hour, yard, 7½c.

Youths' Suits—Single or double-breasted Suits, made of fancy mixtures, in the latest cuts, sizes 14 to 20, regular $7 suits for 3.95.

Mohairs—Pure Mohair Brilliantine, highly lustrous English fabrics, all fast colors, including black and cream, 59c quality, for, yard, 35c.

Rugs—9-x12-foot closely woven Brussels Rugs, in new spring designs, sell regularly at $16.50 and $18, this hour, each, 13.95.

Chinaware—Austrian china Cracker Jars, Cake Plates and Salad Bowls, pretty floral decorations and gold tracings, 59c pieces, at 25c.

Wall Paper—10 bolts of fine gold Wall Paper, 6 bolts of ceiling and 3 bolts of 18-inch blended border, worth $5, all for 2.89. (Without ceiling 2.38.)

Men's Shoes—Made of fine vici kid or box calf, lace style, reduced from $2 to, pair, 1.47.

Smokes—Pollock's regular 3-for-5c Stogies at 20-for-25c. Twelve regular 5c Cigars, 2 Owls, 2 Havana Lady, 2 Perfectos, 2 Billy Sillys, 2 Goodritches and 2 Porto Ricans, all for 25c.

Petticoats—Women's dainty White Petticoats, made with fluffy lace or embroidery trimmed flounces, extra dust ruffle; also Drawers, at 69c.

Hot Plates—The well-known "Acme" Hot Plates, with two gas-saving burners and large top, really worth $1.50, only 95c. (Fourth Floor.)

Girls' Dresses—Made of woolen cashmeres, plaids and striped materials, trimmed with lace, ribbon and small buttons, sizes 6 to 14 years, $2 ones for 31c.

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY.

Bed Sheets—Full bleached Bed Sheets, double bed size, and dainty ruffled Bed Shams, actually worth 65c, this hour 39c.

Curtains—The usual $5 Irish Point Curtains, made on fine bobbinet; 16 lovely styles, including conventional and novelty designs, white or cream, pair, 3.19.

Flour Cans—Made of heavy tin and japanned; with the word "Flour" stencilled on, capacity 50 lbs., regular $1.00 cans for 69c.

Wall Paper—10 bolts of artistic Wall Paper, 6 bolts of ceiling and 3 bolts of 18-inch blended border, worth $3.00, all for 1.42. (Without ceiling 1.27.)

Carpets—Durable velvet carpets, in floral and Oriental designs, some with border and stairs to match, a feature this hour at, yard, 59c.

Belts—Women's gold tinsel and plain black or fancy color Silk Belts, worth up to 50c, this hour 10c. (Jewelry Dept.)

Unmade Robes—Sheer Lawn Robes, of waist, sleeves and skirt, all ready for fitting and sewing together, pretty blind and eyelet embroidery patterns, worth $12, only 7.90. (Lace Dept.)

Misses' Shoes—Made of vici kid with patent leather tips, low heels and medium weight soles, a $1.50 pair for 89c.

Voiles—Genuine black French Chiffon Voile, fine crisp mesh, beautiful jet black, $1 quality, yard 59c. (Not more than 10 yards to a customer.)

Children's Tams—Also suitable for little girls, plain or fancy silk embroideries to match coats or suits, 10 or 11-inch tops, also golf and tam caps, 75c ones for 43c. (Main Floor.)

Boys' Suits—Buster Brown, Kimono, Sailor and Russian Blouse style, made of serges and mixtures, also Tan Topcoats and Reefers, sizes 2½ to 11, real $5 garments, 3.33.

Half Hose—Men's fine cotton Half Hose, either black or tan, spliced heels, toes and soles, usual 15c grade at, pair, 8c.

Women's Suits—Women's regular $15, $18 and $20 Tailor-mades, in eton, pony or hip-length jacket style coats, made of broadcloths, cheviots, worsteds and panamas, all colors, choice 8.85.

3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY.

Babies' Sacques—Neatly made of pink, blue or white material, also Wrappers, in neat striped patterns, regular prices 25c to 50c, now 15c.

Hosiery—Women's Stockings, made of extra fine grade mocha yarn; black, with half or full unbleached foot, sizes 8 and 8½, regular 35c grade for, pair 15c.

Slippers—Women's patent tip or plain toe Juliette Slippers—made of Dongola leather, with common sense heel and flexible sole—$1.50 pair for 95c.

Candy—Large Chocolate Cream Eggs—prettily decorated, 25c ones 15c. Sugar Rabbits with ribbons and bells around their necks—10c kind at 2 for 10c.

Taffeta—36-in. Unbreakable Taffeta, in pink, ciel, red, brown and black, for drop skirts or waist lining, yard 55c. The 36-inch Peau de Soie, $1.25 quality, yd. 85c.

Suitings—All the stylish gray mixed, fancy and plain gray Suitings, in checks, stripes and broken plaid effects, regular 50c quality at yd., 29c.

Curtain Ends—Ends of Real Irish Point, Brussels, Cluny and Arabian Lace Curtains, worth from $5 to $15 per pair to be closed out at per curtain end 49c.

Table Oilcloth—In fancy patterns, also oilcloth for covering walls, all standard makes, per yard 15c. (Oilcloth Tray free with every purchase.)

Card Tables—Full size Sewing Tables with folding legs, also make nice Card Tables, well varnished; worth 75c, this hour 45c. (Basement.)

Rugs—9x12 ft. Reversible Rugs, in medallion or all-over effects, regular price $7, reduced to 4.75.

Boys' Suits—Well-known "Sampeck" Novelty Suits, in newest effects, also fancy worsted and cheviot double-breasteds and Norfolks and blue or black Confirmation Suits, $6.50 ones for 4.35.

Wall Paper—10 bolts of artistic Wall Paper, 6 bolts of ceiling and 3 bolts of 9-in. blended border, worth $3.00, all for 1.00. (Without ceiling 69c.)

Candle Sticks—Black iron Candle Sticks, fitted with colored candle, holder and shade to match, really worth 35c, complete at 19c. (China Department.)

Misses' Suits—Made of grays and mixtures, in eton jacket style, neatly trimmed, sizes 14 to 18 years, $10 suits for 6.34.

4 TO 5 P. M. TODAY.

Disk Records—Regulation 10-inch Disk Talking Machine Records, in newest vocal and instrumental selections, fit Victor, Columbia, etc. machines each 25c. Disk Needles, 100 for 3c. (Fourth Floor.)

Veilings—Short lengths and odd pieces of regular 25c and 35c Veilings including pretty hairline meshes, tuxedos and chiffons, all colors, yard 15c.

Damasks—German dice Table Damask and 72-in. wide figured Table Damask, 59c materials, yard 29c.

Candy—Sugar ducks, 5c kind, 2 for 5c. Large Panorama Eggs, pretty pictures and decorations, 25c ones 17c. Any Easter Novelty or Basket bought during this hour filled with candy free.

Collars—Men's standing and turn-down Collars, in fifteen new Spring shapes, sell regularly 2 for 25c, this hour, each 7c.

Washing Machines—Easily worked, made of best seasoned wood, usually sells at $4, marked this hour only 2.69.

Suitings—Your pick of any fancy Suiting in stock, including gray mixtures or fancy gray suitings selling now from $1.50 to $1.75, for yd., 95c.

Skirts—Regular $5, $6 and $7 skirts, in walking style; panamas, cheviots, broadcloths, novelty suitings and worsteds are the materials, all colors, only 3.24.

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THE NATIONAL LEAGUE BASEBALL SEASON OPENS BRILLIANTLY

COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES WIN THE OPENING BALL GAME

After 13 Hard Innings They Score Two Runs and Are Victorious—Splendid Fielding Is Done by the In and the Outfield.

ST. LOUIS, April 12.—(Special.)—Pittsburgh won the opening game of the 1906 season 2 to 1 from the St. Louis Cardinals after 13 innings, full of excitement from beginning to end. Several times it appeared that one side or the other would score before the final round, but the fastest kind of fielding, bolstering up the highest class pitching of Victor Willis and Jack Taylor, kept runners from crossing the plate.

Two men were cut off at home base by fine throws of Ganley and Clymer, and a speedy double play with three men on bases and one out retired the Cardinals at one stage. Only two errors were made and both figured in the score. There were several close decisions made by Umpire Klem, and he had to be escorted from the grounds by two policemen after the game, as demonstrations were made by the crowd, which surged upon the field.

After 12 innings of seesawing, in which the advantage was on one side as often as on the other, the Pirates went to bat in the thirteenth inning determined to win the contest. Clymer, who led off, smacked the ball into left field and landed safe on first. Wagner sent a stinger into center. Nealon got the order to "play the game," and he bunted a neat little sacrifice along the first base line, the two runners going forward a notch. Sheehan stepped to the plate and the signal was sent out for the "squeeze play." The little Californian trailed the ball along the line and Jake Beckley made a dive for it as Clymer and Wagner rushed for home. Beckley shot the ball toward the plate to head off the runners, and it went wild, the two Pirates scoring and Sheehan going to second. Ritchey tried to score the third baseman, but he sent a line drive at McBride, who doubled up Sheehan, retiring the side.

Spurred by the crowd, the Cardinals went in in the thirteenth to do or die, doing the latter, although gamely. Arndt set the spectators bowling by catching one of Willis' drops and starting for the center fielder. The noise subsided a bit when McBride sent a high fly to Ganley. Taylor rolled a daisy bender to Wagner, who shot the ball quickly to second for a double play. No time could be lost, and Ritchey attempted to catch and throw with the same motion. The result was he missed the ball and both men were safe. The crowd nearly went wild and the noise became deafening when Bennett filled the corners by planting a neat one in centerfield. Shannon was appealed to by the crowd when he stepped to the plate, and he responded nobly by shooting the ball into center field. Arndt and Taylor put on speed and started for the plate. No time was lost by Ganley in fielding the ball and he quickly sent it home. Taylor slid into the plate just in time to be tagged, the throw by Ganley being perfect.

The decision was on a close play. And the crowd yelled, while the Cardinal players left their bench and surrounded Umpire Klem. With two still on base and two out the corners were filled again by Grady sending a hot one at Willis, which he stopped, but could not handle in time. Smoot, the star batter of the Cardinals, then came up with the determination to at least tie the score. He made a mighty swipe, but Joe Nealon gathered in his hot roller, beat Smoot to first and ended the game.

The Pittsburghs worked themselves out of some bad holes during the contest, the crowd being on edge nearly all the time. With one down in the fourth inning, Smoot got his base on balls and went to second when Beckley sent out a single. Himes filled the corners with a safety into right field. Arndt sent a roller that Wagner jumped for and nabbed, shot the ball to Ritchey, who quickly speeded it to Nealon, completing one of the fastest kinds of double plays and retiring the side.

Grady, in the twelfth, got to first on balls and took second on Smoot's sacrifice. Beckley planted one of his old-time hits in right field and Grady galloped for the plate. Clymer fielded the ball fast and shot it right into Gibson's hands on the first bound, nailing Grady as he tried to slide in with a run which would have been the winner if Grady had been a second sooner or Clymer a second later.

During an altercation over this decision Beckley sneaked around to third base. That is all the farther he got, though, as Himes sent a high one into Ganley's hands.

The pitchers and catchers kept the base runners hugging the bags most of the time. Himes, in the second inning, was caught trying to steal second. Arndt, after stealing second in the seventh inning, got gay between second and third, and was tripped up. Taylor led off in the tenth with a single, but wanted to get too big of a lead for a steal, and was pegged by Gibson to Nealon.

Clymer in the first, was caught trying to steal second, as were Wagner in the fourth and Sheehan in the fifth. Ganley was caught playing off first in the twelfth.

Joe Nealon, the firstbaseman, secured from the San Francisco team, celebrated his first time at bat in the National league, by cracking out a two-bagger to right field. He also made a single in the eighth and a sacrifice in the final inning that advanced the men who made the winning runs. Nealon in the tenth sent one that looked good for a triple, but which was annexed by Smoot after a run and a dive, the latter getting the ball about a foot from the ground.

Clarke in the fifth made a pretty bid for a hit, but Bennett, by a wonderful stop, grabbed the spheroid and retired the Pirate captain.

In the eighth, with Nealon on second, Ritchey shot the ball toward left field, but a circus play by Arndt spoiled the chance to score.

Beckley sprinted to the grand stand and gathered in a foul fly from Willis' bat in the twelfth inning.

Wagner, in the eighth, by quick backing-up of third base, saved the game for the Pirates when Gibson made a bad throw to Sheehan after a passed ball.

Nealon in the ninth handled Beckley's roller, and Willis covered the bag, the big firstbaseman being retired.

A crowd of Pittsburghers did a lot of rooting in one end of the grand stand, being led by Charley Black, Bob Cartwright, Billy Mason, Edward Young and Jim Orris of Carnegie.

About 2 o'clock dark clouds appeared and a half hour later it began to rain. The game was started in the rain, but it kept up for only four innings, after which the sun came out. The threatening weather kept down the attendance to 3,500.

Beaumont wanted to go in the game, but Clarke would not let him, as he feared his leg is not yet strong enough. Leach is still weak, and it is hard to say when he will be in the game. In the meantime Sheehan will cover third.

Both new men favorably impressed the Pittsburgh rooters. Karger, the Texan, will go on the rubber tomorrow. He gave the Cardinals only three hits a few weeks ago while pitching for the Houston (Texas) team, but lost the game, 1 to 0. Carisch or Smith will do the catching.

Pitcher Oberlin, let go by Pittsburgh, has accepted terms with Milwaukee. He was offered $300 a month by the Johnstown team of the Tri-State league, but refused to accept it. Score:

St. Louis—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bennett, 2b	6	0	2	3	2	0
Shannon, l. f.	6	0	1	5	0	0
Grady, c	5	0	1	2	4	0
Smoot, r. f.	4	0	0	6	0	0
Beckley, 1 b	5	0	2	13	2	1
Himes, m. f.	5	0	2	2	0	0
Arndt, 3 b	5	1	2	4	1	0
McBride, s. s.	5	0	1	1	3	0
Taylor, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	44	1	12	39	15	1

Pittsburgh—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Clarke, l. f.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Ganley, m. f.	4	0	1	4	1	0
Clymer, r. f.	5	1	1	0	1	0
Wagner, s. s.	5	1	2	5	4	0
Nealon, 1 b	4	0	2	16	1	0
Sheehan, 3 b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Ritchey, 2 b	5	0	0	2	5	1
Gibson, c	4	0	0	5	2	0
Willis, p	4	0	0	1	6	0
Totals	38	2	7	39	21	1

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Two-base hit—Nealon. Sacrifice hits—Ganley, Sheehan 2, Taylor, Nealon, Smoot. Double plays—Wagner, Ritchey and Nealon; McBride and Arndt. Stolen base—Arndt. Bases on balls—Off Willis 3, off Taylor 1. Struck out—By Willis 3, by Taylor 1. Wild pitch—Willis. Left on bases—St. Louis 2, Pittsburgh 2. Time—2:00. Umpires—Klem and Carpenter.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	P.		W.	L.	P.
Pittsburgh	1	0	1000	St. Louis	0	1	.000
Chicago	1	0	1000	Cincinnati	0	1	.000
New York	1	0	1000	Philadelphia	0	1	.000
Boston	1	0	1000	Brooklyn	0	1	.000

ATTENDANCE.

At St. Louis	3,500
At Cincinnati	17,241
At Brooklyn	12,000
At Philadelphia	11,710

GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at St. Louis; Chicago at Cincinnati; New York at Philadelphia; Boston at Brooklyn.

BASEBALL NOTES.

Beaumont did not play.

Willis kept the hits scattered.

Nealon made the only big hit in the game.

The Chicago Colts played an errorless game.

Kitty Bransfield made the Phillies' only big hit.

Spike Shannon pulled down five flies in left field.

McBride played a strong game for the Cardinals.

Tommy Leach saw the game from the grandstand.

The only home run yesterday was made by Bates.

Nine two-baggers were made in the opening games.

Wagner accepted nine chances clean as a whistle.

Huggins and Schlie made five of Cincinnati's hits.

Brooklyn is the first team to be shut out this season.

It is said that Pitcher Mathewson is sick with diphtheria.

Only four men struck out in the Philadelphia-New York game.

Throws by Ganley and Clymer caught runners at the plate.

Willis fielded his position admirably, accepting seven chances.

Homer Smoot was a busy man. He had six put-outs in right field.

Wagner and Nealon were the Pirate hitters, each getting two bingles.

Lumley got the only hit made off Young Cy Young. It was a two-bagger.

Jack Barry played left field for Cincinnati yesterday and had one assist.

Sheehan did very well at third base, getting everything that came his way.

Ganley had an assist from center field and Clymer had one from right field.

Pittsburgh set the mark for extra inning games by winning in 13 rounds.

Tommy Corcoran lived up to his record. He had two errors at short for the Reds.

Vic Willis made a successful debut with the Pirates. His support was nearly perfect.

Scores were small yesterday. The winning teams made 14 runs and the losing teams 5.

Hans Lobert did not play at third base for the Reds, or there might have been a different story.

Yesterday's game was the longest ever played at St. Louis by a Pittsburgh National league team.

McIntyre of the Brooklyns struck out 10 Boston batsmen. This record will stand for some days.

The New York Giants had all their old players in line. The Phillies had a new man at third base.

Chicago won the game from Cincinnati in the fourth inning and cinched it in the eighth and ninth.

Kid Gleason began the season by accepting nine chances without a trip up at second for the Phillies.

Howard did not play with the Bostons yesterday. Brain played at third and accepted every chance.

Shorty Slagle had seven put outs in center field for Chicago. He also made two hits and scored a run.

While the Boston Nationals were shutting out the Brooklyns yesterday the Boston Americans were beaten by Columbus in 10 innings.

Marty Higgins, John Kutchbach, Tom Bradburn, Joe Kelly and Mike Muarry please report at the Riverview's grounds on Sunday at 2:30 sharp.

Fred Hartman of McKeesport, who refused to stand for a big cut in his salary made by Manager Stallings of the Montreal team, it is reported, will become an outlaw and will hold down a third corner position for Harrisburg at $300 a month. Hartman signed with Montreal but refused to report.

Auspicious Opening Day.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The National league baseball season opened today with the eastern and western teams playing in their respective divisions and with favorable weather conditions in each city where the games were scheduled. There were games in Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and St. Louis, and in each instance the home team lost. Boston shut out Brooklyn by two runs to nothing, the New Yorks, champions of the world, defeated Philadelphia by the narrow margin of three runs to two; Chicago took the initial game from Cincinnati by 7 to 2, while Pittsburgh and St. Louis, after struggling through 12 innings without a score engaged in an exciting finish in the thirteenth, the home team's only tally in that inning being overcome by two runs scored by the visitors.

In Brooklyn, Philadelphia and Cincinnati the crowds were unusually large and the St. Louis management seemed satisfied with the turn-out of admirers of the sport in that city.

It never disappoints. Pilene positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

DOWN GO THE REDS.

Chicago Colts Easily Outplay Then in the Opening Game.

CINCINNATI, April 12.—The baseball season of 1906 was opened this afternoon before 17,241 spectators. The weather was perfect. Mayor Dempsey addressed the players and tossed a ball on the diamond, starting the game. Cincinnati was first to score, but did not keep the lead long, Chicago securing passes off Overall and making hits when they would do the most good. The visitors played a perfect game in the field, while the support accorded Overall was bad at times. Score:

Cincinnati	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Huggins, 2b	0	2	3	3	1	Slagle, m.	1	2	7	0	0
Barry, l.	0	0	0	1	0	Sheckard, l.	1	1	1	0	0
Carr, l.	0	1	3	1	0	Schulte, r.	1	1	2	0	0
Seymour, m.	0	1	2	0	0	Chance, 1b.	1	2	8	0	0
Delaney, 3b	0	0	1	1	0	Steinfeldt, 3b.	0	1	2	0	0
Corcoran, s.	0	0	2	4	2	Tinker, s.	2	1	4	1	0
Odwell, r.	0	0	3	0	0	Evers, 2.	1	1	1	2	0
Schlei, c.	1	2	8	2	0	Kling, c.	0	1	3	1	0
Overall, p.	1	1	0	4	1	Lundgren, p.	0	0	0	5	0
Totals	2	8	27	14	4	Totals	7	9	27	9	0

Cincinnati	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2
Chicago	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	—7

Two-base hits—Carr, Tinker, Kling. Three-base hits—Schlei, Evers. Sacrifice hits—Barry, Corcoran, Schulte, Lundgren. Stolen bases—Schulte, Tinker. Double play—Huggins, Corcoran and Carr. Struck out—By Overall 2, by Lundgren 3. Bases on balls—Off Overall 1, off Lundgren 4. Time, 2:10. Umpire—Johnstone.

VICTOR WILLIS,
Pitcher Who Won Yesterday's Game.

CHAMPIONS THE WINNERS.

New York Giants Early Cinch the Game Against the Phillies.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—The National league season was opened here today with delightful weather and an attendance of nearly 12,000 people. The local club had for its opponent the New York world's champion team. The members of the two teams, preceded by a band of music, marched across the field, and all joined in pulling the ropes which raised the Stars and Stripes to the top of the flagpole. Mayor Weaver was present, accompanied by the heads of the various city departments, and when time for play was reached the mayor tossed the ball from the upper pavilion into the hands of Umpire O'Day. New York outplayed the local team both at the bat and in the field. The Philadelphia team, however, fielded sharply at times and thus held the visitors down to three runs, forcing eight men to be left on bases. Three sharp double plays aided materially in suddenly ending promising innings for the champions. Attendance, 11,710. Score:

New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bres'han c.	0	1	2	3	0	Thomas m.	0	0	1	1	0
Browne r.	0	1	2	0	0	Gleason 2.	0	1	4	5	0
Donlin m.	1	3	0	0	0	Sentelle 3.	6	0	0	3	2
McGann 1.	1	1	14	1	0	Magee 1.	1	1	1	0	0
Mertes l.	0	2	1	0	0	Titus r.	1	0	0	0	0
Dahlen s.	0	1	4	6	1	Branef'd 1.	0	1	13	0	1
Lott m.	0	1	1	0	0	Dolin 3.	0	1	1	1	0
Gilbert 2.	0	0	3	4	0	Donovan c.	0	0	5	2	0
Ames p.	0	0	1	4	1	Lush p.	0	0	0	6	0
						*Doolin	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	9	27	18	3	Totals	2	4	27	18	2

*Batted for Donovan in ninth.

New York	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	—6
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2

Two-base hits—Mertes, Bransfield, Donlin. Three-base hit—McGann. Sacrifice hit—McGann. Stolen bases—Dahlen, Magee. Double plays—Thomas, Gleason and Donovan; Gleason and Doolin; Donovan and Gleason. Left on bases—New York 8, Philadelphia 6. First on balls—Off Lush 3, off Ames 2. First base on errors—New York 3, Philadelphia 2. Hit by pitched balls—Bresnahan, Devlin. Struck out—By Lush 1, by Ames 3. Wild pitch—Ames. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Day.

GREAT IS YOUNG YOUNG.

Holds the Brooklyns Down to One Hit and Shuts Them Out.

BROOKLYN, April 12.—The National league baseball season was opened here today with a game between the Bostons and Brooklyns. The visitors won by a score of 2 to 0. Donovan, the new manager of the local club, was given a hearty reception when he appeared with his men. There was a big attendance, fully 12,000 persons being present. Young Cy Young pitched one of his best games and the home team got only one hit off him. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Maloney, m.	0	0	2	0	0	Goods m.	0	0	0	0	0
M'Carthy, l	0	0	2	0	0	Tenney 1.	0	1	16	3	0
Lumley, r.	0	1	1	0	0	Dolan, r.	0	0	1	1	0
Casey, 2.	0	0	1	0	0	Brain 2.	1	0	2	1	0
Gessler, 1.	0	0	7	0	0	Bates 1.	1	2	0	0	0
Lewis, s.	0	0	2	3	0	Bridwell, s.	0	2	0	5	0
Hummel, 2.	0	0	1	3	0	Strobel, 2.	0	1	0	4	1
Bergen, c.	0	0	11	1	0	Needham, c.	0	0	6	0	1
M'Intyre, p.	0	0	0	2	1	Young, p.	0	0	2	2	1
Totals	0	1	27	9	1	Totals	2	6	27	16	3

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Boston	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Two-base hits—Lumley, Strobel. Home run—Bates. Sacrifice hit—Dolan. Stolen bases—Bridwell, Maloney, McCarthy. Left on bases—Brooklyn 3, Boston 5. First base on balls—Off McIntyre 2. First base on errors—Brooklyn 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Young 1. Struck out—By McIntyre 10, by Young 5. Time—1:22. Umpires—Emslie and Conway.

Steubenville Nearly Shut Out.

ALTOONA, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—The preliminary baseball season opened here today, the Altoona Tri-State league team winning from the Steubenville P. O. M. league club 7 to 1. Arthur Irwin's club showed the benefit of spring training practice by their proficiency in team work, while Eddie Lee's collection were distanced because of absolute lack of practice. Altoona's team did not exert itself on account of low temperature. Scores:

Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Steub'ville.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Grubb 3.	0	2	0	1	0	Marshall m.	1	2	0	0	0
Beecher 2.	2	2	9	0	0	Epler p-r.	0	0	0	0	0
Flood 2.	1	2	0	1	0	Lee r.	0	0	0	0	0
Houser 1.	0	0	7	0	0	Adams s.	0	1	2	3	0
Gannon 1.	1	2	0	0	0	Lloyd 2.	0	0	0	6	0
Lee r.	0	0	1	0	0	Shultz 3.	0	0	1	2	0
Starnagle c.	0	1	10	1	0	Wilson 1.	0	1	19	1	0
Stroh c.	0	0	6	0	0	Benbow 1.	0	0	0	0	0
Lott m.	1	1	1	0	0	Doherty p.	0	0	0	2	0
Bell p.	0	0	1	2	0	Irwin p.	0	0	0	0	0
Shields p.	0	0	0	0	0	Kelley c.	0	0	5	2	0
Burch s.	2	0	1	1	0						
Totals	7	10	27	7	0	Totals	1	4	27	17	1

Altoona	0	0	4	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
Steubenville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	

Stolen bases—Burch, Beecher, Cannon 2, Flood. Sacrifice hits—Flood. Two-base hits—Flood, Grubb. Double plays—Adams, Wilson and Shultz. Struck out—Bell 2, Shields 8, Epler 2. Bases on balls—Bell, Shields 4, Epler 1, Irwin 1, Doherty 1. Hit by pitcher—Beecher, Lott, Flood. Innings pitched—Bell 6, Shields 2, Epler, Irwin and Doherty 3 each. Left on bases—Altoona 8, Steubenville 4. Umpire—Friend. Attendance—3,877.

Another Win for Vanderbilt.

PARIS, April 12.—William K. Vanderbilt's Malta won the Coeur Volant stakes and his Prestige the Eugene Adam stakes at the Maisons-Laffitte races today.

Good Ball Players Wanted.

First-class players wishing to join a team to play Saturday and Sunday games, address H. H. Berger, 3005 Elsinore place, city.

CENTRALS HANG UP TWO 900 SCORES

Find No Trouble in Defeating the Meadows of the Liberty Valley League.

In the Liberty Valley league last night, on the Penn avenue alleys, the Centrals defeated the Meadows in all three games by handsome scores. The Centrals started off with 902, came back with 923, and fell down in the third game, but were winners by a big margin. Berry was the high roller with the good score of 216. Mailbach was the star with the good score of 210 and best average of 187. Nuss was a good second for high score and average honors. Greb, E. Kramer and Trusch were also among the high rollers. Scores:

Centrals—				Meadows—			
Berry	216	168	145	Emrich	161	146	135
Greb	123	179	184	Laird	165	145	114
Nuss	188	209	161	Cupps	109	122	119
E. Kramer	165	190	136	Trusch	204	128	174
Walbach	210	179	172	Burkey	172	127	156
Totals	902	923	792	Totals	701	697	698

It was revenge that the McKeesport Elks' bowling team went to Braddock for last night—revenge for the defeat administered by Braddock's antlered bowlers a week ago. What they got, however, was a worse licking than in the first match. B. Seng added to his laurels by running up a high score of 253 and he had the exceptional high average of 212 2-3. Scores:

Braddock Lodge—				McKeesport Lodge—			
Nugent	146	203	155	Pierce	142	146	134
Estricher	150	152	170	White	128	158	144
P. Seng	212	253	172	Hartsauk	170	193	204
McAdams	165	198	198	Good	135	118	161
W. Seng	196	144	124	Sowden	157	114	152
Totals	907	933	906	Totals	742	759	795

In the Laundry league last night, on the Great Eastern alleys, the Eclipse eclipsed all records for the alleys and easily won all three games from their opponents, who also chalked up some creditable scores. The Eclipse made two fine 900 scores and the fine average of 922 1-3. This is probably the best average ever made by any of the teams of the County league on the Great Eastern alleys. The high rollers were Fineran, Pratt, Murray, McCabe and Cater. Scores:

Eclipse—				Stark—			
Fineran	180	178	224	Hartman	142	156	176
McCabe	176	192	164	Thornberry	193	189	146
Pratt	179	222	167	T. Deere	152	138	159
Murray	159	178	219	E. Deere	153	173	192
Weekley	185	159	185	Cater	196	223	157
Totals	879	929	959	Totals	856	879	841

The Royal duckpin team would like to have the game scheduled with Arlington for Wednesday night brought forward to Tuesday. Answer through The Gazette.

Capt. Shernagle's Oneida Ducks team will play their first match in the South Hill league tonight with Peerless Ducks. A hot match is looked for when they come together.

An interesting duckpin match took place on the Brunswick alleys between the American Steel and Wire Company and Wilbert Warriors. Every game was close. High score, Buckley 105; high average, Nelly, 80 flat. Capt. Wilbert was shy one pin for the high score, but he won the first game. Scores:

American—				Wilbert—			
Neely	103	91	78	Deck	82	84	..
Engle	82	97	81	Tuohy	78	83	79
Kenoy	80	76	85	Feick	81	75	77
Hirsh	82	74	..	Wilbert	104	79	69
Moren	75	..	90	McAfee	81	87	87
Buckley	..	105	87	Ullrich	..	..	33
Totals	422	443	393	Totals	426	408	379

Phenomenal scores were made in a game played by five men picked from both teams to decide who should pay for suppers for both teams, low man to be it; the total scores being 1,054. The scores were as follows: Pierce 221, McAdams 216, B. Seng 225, Estricher 191, Hartsauk 201; total 1,054. The Braddock Elks bowling team challenges any Elk bowlers in Western Pennsylvania for a series of matches, Allegheny lodge No. 339 preferred.

Secretary Baldauf of the Diocesan league wishes the St. Anthony score of April 2. He also is in darkness concerning the date of the match in which St. Anthony made scores of 831, 844 and 894, and also the date of the match in which St. Charles made 791, 762 and 867. If he is given the information he will be able to have the official averages ready for publication on Sunday.

The Federal duckpin team of the County league is desirous of learning if the Great Eastern Ducklets are going to play off their postponed game with them. If no reply is received by Monday the Federals intend to claim the games by forfeit. Answer through The Gazette.

The Majestic duckpin team wishes to learn if the Libertys will play off their postponed game with them between now and Monday. Answer through The Gazette.

Schaefers Easily Beat the Owls.

In the Two-man Team league, on the Fifth avenue alleys, last night, Tress and Hambly won all three games from G. Dimling and Bossler in the first series, and in the second contest Loos and Hewitt won two out of three games from H. Dimling and Pockalnik. All the games were interesting. Scores:

Second match.

Schedule for tonight: Davies-McMunn versus Ormiston-Meisner.

G. Dimling	105	146	150	Tress	127	189	163
Bossler	160	169	137	Hambly	149	171	128
Totals	265	315	287	Totals	276	360	296
Second match—							
Loos	171	164	198	H. Dimling	154	178	167
Hewitt	192	178	168	Pockalnik	186	193	161
Totals	363	342	366	Totals	340	371	328

Mercersburg Academy Wins By a Run.

MERCERSBURG, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—Mercersburg academy won a hard-fought game today from Ursinus college. The final score was 3 to 2. Swank's daring base-running and Moore's home run in the fifth inning were decided features of the contest. Capt. Edwards pitched a good game for Mercersburg, keeping the collegians' bits well scattered. Score:

Mercersb'g	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Ursinus.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Moore s.	2	2	2	1	1	Paiste s.	0	1	1	2	1
Match'en	2	0	0	2	3	Farringer	2	1	1	2	0
Sparrow 1.	0	0	7	0	0	Kerschner	3	1	1	1	0
Shultz 1.	0	0	9	2	0	Colyer r.	0	1	1	0	0
Kelley r.	0	0	1	0	0	Fenton 1.	0	1	6	1	0
Elch'b'r 3.	0	0	1	1	0	Keyser m.	0	2	2	0	0
Swank m.	1	1	2	0	0	Crunk'ton	1	0	0	1	0
Port c.	0	2	12	0	0	Tobias c.	0	0	13	4	2
Edwards p.	0	0	0	3	1	Manery p.	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	27	9	4	Totals	2	8	27	7	4

Mercersburg	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Ursinus	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	

Home run—Moore. Two-base hit—Colyer. Sacrifice hit—Matchneer. Stolen bases—Moore 3, Sparrow, Shultz, Swank 2, Kerschner, Mabry. Struck out—By Edwards 9, by Mabry 10. Bases on balls—Off Mabry 2. Umpire—Mr. Lichtenberger, Princeton.

McCourt Is the Winner.

Charles McCourt yesterday won the pool match from Kid Black by making 158 to 124. This makes a total of 500 for McCourt and 274 for Black. The game last night was played in the Union rooms at Braddock.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL NEWS

The W. U. P. relay and track teams are now rapidly rounding into shape. The ideal weather lately is taken advantage of by the boys and daily outdoor work indulged in. This coming after such a long spell in the gymnasium is greatly appreciated by the boys. They are already showing a form which is gratifying to the coach and their friends. The interest for spring athletics is growing and the squad will be increased in a few days. A dual meet with State, to take place at State, has been arranged for commencement week.

Allegheny High school will have a strong team on the diamond this season. Manager Harry J. Fincke has selected the following players for the opening game with Wilkinsburg High school this afternoon on the Wilkinsburg grounds: Nesson, c.; E. Weger, p.; Burgham, ss.; R. Weger, 1b; Brown, 2b; Patterson, 3b; Kifer, lf.; Gray, mf.; Mason, rf. Weger and Mason will do the twirling. Two teams will be maintained throughout the season and 11 players carried with the regulars. Several positions are still in doubt, and the next game may see some new faces. The Reserve team would like to hear from some of the smaller school teams in this vicinity.

The Union High school of Turtle Creek desires games with all High schools of this neighborhood. Address Harry L. Highberger, manager, Turtle Creek, Pa.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Yale today suffered defeat at the hands of Georgetown in a clean and pretty game. Yale's one error, a hit and a steal gave Georgetown their total runs. Simon of Georgetown made a fine catch of a fly after a hard run, and Madden of Yale cut off a drive which apparently was good for three bases. Kinney's work at third for Yale was a feature. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Georgetown	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	6—2	2	0
Yale	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	2	1

Batteries—Georgetown, Drennan, Cantwell and Mudd; Yale, Jackson and Chapin.

The Braddock scholastic baseball team will open its season today by playing the Braddock High school juniors a practice game at Braddock. Capt. Williams has not yet decided on his lineup, but it will be strong, as he has 18 candidates to pick from. Manager Strebich has arranged a hard schedule and will play the strongest High schools in this part of the state. The candidates are Williams, Gillespie, Watkins, Hyalop, Funker, Strebich, Carrouthers, Shepherd, McGinley, H. Mills, R. Mills, Bretsnider, Fritsius, Caroll, Owens, Haney, Richards, Drain and Lee.

BOSTON, MASS., April 12.—(Special.)—The Harv

FIRST TROUBLE AT BENNINGS

Okenite Wins the Second Race, but Is Disqualified by the Judges for Fouling.

GOOD RACES ARE THE RULE

WASHINGTON, April 12.—No better over night events have been carded at the present meeting of the Washington Jockey club at Bennings than those offered today. No special features were presented, but all of the six events filled well and the sport was excellent. The track, while still a trifle heavy, was in fair condition and the delightful weather drew a fine crowd.

The first serious trouble of the meeting grew out of the second race, a 2-year-old event in which August Belmont's Okenite was made an odds-on favorite. After committing what seemed from the stand to be a palpable foul, Okenite jumped out in front in the first furlong and won, eased up at the end, by four lengths. He evidently was the best horse of the race. So much grumbling has been heard about fouls in previous races that the judges took this matter under consideration. After a long discussion, Okenite was disqualified, Orphan Lad, which ran second, being declared the winner, with Black Knight second and Hettie Landon third. The decision of the stewards was receive with cheers.

In the opening event a handicap at 5½ furlongs, Pater was made the favorite, with Bohemia a second and Race King a third choice. That is the way they finished.

Tickle closed a favorite in the third, but Lackey was the better and won handily. Tickle got the place without extending herself from Waddell II.

Among the cross country horses which started in the fourth, a steeplechase at two miles, there was little choice, most of them being green at the jumping game. Fergis was made a lukewarm favorite, with Valley Forge heavily played. The latter lost all chance by falling badly at the liverpool, giving his jockey, Donahue, a nasty cropper. With Valley Forge out of it, Yama Christy had no difficulty in winning from the favorite, with Harry Bates third. While Fellis was the favorite, Adonis was played for a "good thing" in the fifth, with Lottowanna as a strong choice. The last named went to the front at the rising of the barrier and held the position to the wire. High Brush got the place and Adonish showed.

The Virginian contingent made T. S. Martin the favorite in the sixth, but he was unable to beat Yorkshire Lad, notwithstanding the difference of 11 pounds in weight. Merlingo, which was strongly touted to win, was able only to show. Summaries:

First race, handicap, for 2-year-olds and upward, 5½ furlongs, course—Pater, 118 (Miller), 6 to 5 and 2 to 5, won; Bohemia, 124 (Knapp), 2 to 1 and 3 to 5, second; Race King, 114 (Robbins), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Monacodor and Vernez also ran.

Second race, for 2-year-olds; 4½ furlongs, old course—Orphan Lad, 102 (Miller), 7 to 5 and out, won; Black Knight, 102 (McDaniel), 40 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Hettie Landon, 102 (T. Johnson), 16 to 1, third. Time, .58. Okenite won, but was disqualified for fouling. Sunburst also ran.

Third race, for 3-year-olds and upwards; 6 furlongs, Columbia course—Lackey, 100 (McDaniel), 3 to 5 and 2 to 5, won; Tickle, 98 (Miller), 7 to 2 and 1 to 2, second; Waddell II., 110 (Knapp), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Wernig and Midas also ran.

Fourth race, steeplechase for maiden 4-year-olds and upward, about 2 miles—Yama Christy, 151 (J. Kelly), 4 to 1 and 7 to 5, won; Fergus, 147 (Davidson), 2 to 1 and even, second; Harry Bates, 151 (Donahue), 6 to 1, third. Time, 5.23 4-5. Valley Forge fell; Current also ran.

Fifth race, for maiden 3-year-olds; 7 furlongs, Columbia course—Lotowanna, 106 (Knapp), 4½ to 1 and 2 to 1, won; High Brush, 111 (Robbins), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Adonis, 103 (Shaw), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:32. Tarlac, Contractor, Fellis, Queen Mary and Elton Weaver also ran.

Sixth race, selling, for 2-year-olds and upward; 1 mile and 70 yards, Columbia course—Yorkshire Lad, 105, Frieshon, 3 to 1 and 4 to 5, won; T. S. Martin, 95 (Miller), 11 to 10 and 2 to 5, second; Merlingo, 95 (McDaniel), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 4-5. Delgaber, Proceeds and Zeny also ran.

BENNINGS ENTRIES FRIDAY.

First race—Selling, 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs, Columbia course:

Hyperion	110	*Monte Carlo	97
Blue Coat	107	Suffice	98
Chieftain	107	*Edgely	93
Fat Dumphy	107	*Arietta	92
Juliet	106	Thorium	92
Loricate	105	*Azeilna	91
Plantagenet	102	Cassandra	90
Fire Escape	60	*Baby Willie	85
Gaulian	98	Nil	84

Second race—Fillies and geldings, half mile, old course:

Lady Vera	102	Manana	99
Mary Curtis	99	Mocosin	99

Third race—Colts, 2-year-olds, 4½ furlongs, old course:

Cameagner	105	Lord Pike	103
Glimmer	102	Ryeboy	102
Tileing	102		

Fourth race—selling, 3-year-olds and up, ⅞ mile, Columbia course:

*Parkville	112	Pason	109
*Echo Dale	112	Pilot	109
Samuel H. Harris	109	*Dixie Andrews	99
*Tom Cod	104		

Fifth race—Maidens, 3-year-olds, ⅞ mile, Columbia course:

Contractor	106	Riggs	103
Radical	106	Waterway	103
Tarlac	106	Welbourne	103
Adonis	103	Indra	101

Sixth race—Handicap, 3-year-olds and up, one mile, Columbia course:

Peter Paul	118	Amberjack	106
Sailor Boy	114	Northville	104
Bill Curtis	110	Old Guard	100
Winchester	108	Royal Window	100

*Apprentice allowance.

Big Field Start at Nashville.

NASHVILLE, TENN., April 12.—Big fields were the rule at Cumberland park today, and the betting was good, four favorites winning. M. J. Daly captured two purses with Elliott and Precious Stone. In the steeplechase Russell Sage was well backed at a long price, and had no trouble in winning from Dr. Nowlin, the favorite. The weather fine and track fast. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—Mazzle Toy, 105 (W. Allen), 40 to 1, won; Larone, 111 (D. Austin), 15 to 1, second; Osanya, 101 (Koerner), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1-5. Baron, Vestryman, Woolessa, Chauncy Olcott, Agave, Max, Utah, Corliss and Dr. Burch also ran.

Second race, steeplechase, short course—Russell Sage, 135 (W. Henry), 10 to 1, won; Dr. Nowlin, 147 (Boyle), 9 to 10, second; Charley, 140 (Pemberton), 4 to 1, third. Time, 3:02. Martin Brady, John E. Owens and Picktime also ran. Arcfight fell at second jump.

Third race, mile, selling—Elliott, 115 (J. Daly), 1 to 2, won; Fortunate, 100 (W. McIntyre), 6 to 1, second; Rossmond, 110 (Harris), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:45. Julia, Bernie Cramer, Sam Craig, Little Boy, Sanction and Gold Bell also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Precious Stone, 113 (J. Daly), 4 to 5, won; Magis, 109 (Troxler), 30 to 1, second; St. Noel, 109 (D. Boland), 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 4-5. The Only Way, Trapstar, Prentice, Laura Hunter, Marcos, Battle Creek, Mabel Winn, John O'Grady and Mussulman also ran.

Fifth race, 4 furlongs—Zal, 110 (Nicol), 6 to 5, won; Denigra, 110 (Koerner), 20 to 1, second; Prophetess, 107, Sheridan, 15 to 1, third. Time, :49⅘. Red Gauntlet, Rosaline May, Sister Peggy, Loyal Lad, Billy Vertress, Capt. Hale, Venetto and Pedro also ran.

Sixth race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Adare, 108 (Nicol), 9 to 2, second, won; Gambrinus, 108, (W. McIntyre), 16 to 1, second; Salvage, 117 (J. Daly), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. Bensonhurst, Bert Gora, J. Ed Grillo, Billy Handsel, Marquis De Carabas, Percy Clark and Malvina also ran.

NASHVILLE ENTRIES FRIDAY.

First race—4½ furlongs, selling:

McIntyre	107	Montellmar	101
Sykon	107	Meyer Hoff	94
Fair Flagon	105	Jack Lee	104
Palatina	99	Lady Mela	104

Second race—7 furlongs, selling:

Coruscate	109	Kara	97
Josette	98	Cadichon	87
Bits-a-Brac	89	Gamester	87
Orderly	101	Coldway	90
Lieutenant Rice	101		

Third race—Steeplechase, short course:

Redman	141	Margery Gaffney	133
Little Wally	141	Signal Light	120
Coquette	137	*Barefoot	150
*Port Warden	134		

Fourth race—7 furlongs, handicap:

John Carroll	124	Estrada Palma	100
Pat Bulger	114	Shawana	95
Brancas	107	Beacon Light	91
Columbia Girl	104		

Fifth race—6 furlongs, selling:

Teddy	103	Miss Point	87
Rain Devils	95	Bert Osra	97
Creel	93	Zinda	93
Reseritao	80	Skyward	86
Inflammable	109		

Sixth race—Mile, selling:

Incubator	109	Thora Lee	97
Two Penny	109	Jacob	97
Chumbles	109	Hadur	91
Brushton	103	Welsh	87
Bradleys Pet	100	Federal	101
Matabon	94	Long Bright	90
Kara	89	Annie Berry	84
Algonquin	104		

*Gerst entry. †Furry entry.

Good Work by a Green Horse.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., April 12.—Fountain Blue, heralded as the best colt at Oaklawn, made his debut today, winning easily, and at the same time clipping one-fifth of a second off the track record for four furlongs. Four favorites won today. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First, 5 furlongs—Sunde Gregg, 101 (Manders), 12 to 5, won; Belle of Shelby, 104 (Jackson), 25 to 1, second; Carrie Francis, 101 (Cherry), 5 to 2, third. Time—1:02. Clear Night, Prentiss, Dorothy L., Jack Hope and Mary Mac ran.

Second, half mile—Fountain Blue, 100 (Sewell), 3 to 4, won; Mike Sutton, 112 (Mountain), 5 to 2, second; Expect to See, 112 (McLaughlin), 7 to 1, third. Time—:48. Pirato, Edwin T. Fryer and Tres Joli ran.

Third, 6 furlongs—H. L. Frank, 113 (McLaughlin), 3 to 4, won; Martins, 112 (Sewell), 7 to 2, second; Lady Vasati, 112 (J. Harris), 5 to 2, third. Time—1:17 1-5. Ben Primo and Sidney C. Love ran.

Fourth, 6 furlongs—Kate Zilt, 104 (Sewell), 8 to 1, won; J. W. O'Neil, 106 (Cherry), 4 to 5, second; Water Mirror, 104 (Mountain), 8 to 1, third. Time—1:14 2-5. Golden Russet, Tyrolean, Mayor Johnson, The Borgetan, Little Gregg ran.

Fifth, 5 furlongs—Ina Gray, 112 (J. Harris), 9 to 10, won; Amador, 109 (C. Ross), 5 to 1, second; Scalp Lock, 113 (Cherry), 12 to 1, third. Time—1:01 3-5. Arabella, Marposa, Miss Leeda and Fulbert ran.

Sixth, one mile—Dolinda, 108 (H. Jackson), 5 to 2, won; Lazall, 103 (Ross), even, second; Townes, 87 (Milliano, 30 to 1, third. Time—1:41 4-5. Don't You Dare, Fra Filippo and Letty ran.

HOT SPRINGS ENTRIES FRIDAY.

First race—5½ furlongs, selling:

Neznia W	101	Bonnie Reg	105
Mofetta	101	Captain Neroth	108
Seamus	109	Bob May	108
Swing Corners	102	Anadarco	108
Animosity	100	Mart Gentry	103
Lady Lusk	100	Falkland	111
Any Rags	106	Dusky	104

Second race—2-year-olds, purse; 3½ furlongs, maidens:

Wilton	102	Miss Bertha	114
Louise Whitfield	106	The Bear	108
Benevolent	109	Jerry Sharp	106
Prince Miles	115	Kitty H	12
Kirk	115	Miss Ermaline	113
Medicus	104	Captain Jarrel	107
Inuskton	114	Tourenne	115

Third race—5½ furlongs:

Hartino	106	Mr. Black	106
James Warren	110	Concert	104
San Primo	107	Sonnet	99

Fourth race—Mile:

Bullinch	114	McNear	109
Tristan Shanty	114	O. C. Parke	109
Bandigo	112	Conde	102
Nathee Royal	109		

Fifth race—Mile and 70 yards, selling:

King Abyssinia	99	Buxom	87
Alma Boy	99	Lavenia	97
The Glad Corsairla	99	True	97
Wickford	107	Young Sater	102
Aroospring	104	Andy Blong	104
Cadillac	104		

Sixth race—Selling, and 70 yards:

Binderton	112	Atlas	116
Economist	118	Athena	121
Carnival	118	Potrero Grande	121
Aggie Lewis	116	Calcutta	123
George T	118		

Gold Enamel Outclasses the Field.

NEW ORLEANS, April 12.—Mamie Algol, Gold Enamel and Pride of Woodstock were the winning favorites at the Fair Grounds today, outclassing his company. Gold Enamel won in a gallop, but Mamie Algol and Pride of Woodstock were driven hard to win. The weather was clear; track good. Summaries:

First race, half mile—Charles I. Lee, 118 (Oliphant), 4 to 1, won; Sainzella, 108 (Aubuchon, 5 to 1, second; Golholine, 118 (Falchi), 7 to 1, third. Time, :49 4-5. Quiet Sabbatter Apps, Blackjack, Glad Pirate, Bud Hill and Miss Hynes also ran.

Second race, six furlongs—Arabo, 112 (L. Jones), 8 to 1, won; Felix Mozzee, 117 (Moreland), 3 to 1, second; Glen Gallant, 129 (Johansen), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 4-5. Venator, Bill Edwards, Mohave, Monie, Scotch Dance and Elastic also ran.

Third race, one mile and a sixteenth—Mamie Algol, 106 (L. Jones), 11 to 5, won; Water Pearl, 100 (W. McGee), 6 to 1, second; The Southerner, 110½ (Edel), 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:50. Aladdin, Estepletz, Imoden, Royal Arms, Novena, Fortune Teller also ran.

Fourth race, one mile, handicap—Gold Enamel, 115 (Aubuchon), 8 to 5, won; Invincible, 101 (Moreland), 20 to 1, second; Kenton, 102 (Johanssen), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Lady Henrietta and Aurumaster also ran.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Pride of Woodstock, 104 (Aubuchon), 12 to 5, won; Merry Belle, 102 (W. McGee), 7 to 1, second; Pinsticker, 99 (Johanssen), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Abjure, Perfect, Henry Hentricks, Come On Sam and Stella Eichburg also ran.

Sixth race, one mile and a sixteenth—Light Opera, 108 (L. Jones), 3 to 1, won; Rhyl, 105 (Oberly), 7 to 1, second; Plautus, 105 (W. McGee), 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:49 2-5. Berry Waddell, Varna Fonso, Ethel Mark, Hickory Corners, Mist Leaf and Thank Haven also ran.

FAIR GROUND ENTRIES FRIDAY.

First race—Mile, purse:

James R. Ward	107	Lubeck	92
Charles McKee	104	Profane	92
Dashon	104	Inessa	90
Ternus	95	Amy Riley	90
Water Lake	95	Banposal	90
D. W. Flynn	95	Cut Glass	90
Bill Carroll	95	Discernment	89
Ourat	95		

Second race—4 furlongs, selling, 2-year-olds:

Helen Lucas	111	E. St. George	103
My Son	109	Black Lock	109
Margaret Roche	108	Bitter Miss	109
Helmuth	108	Dorothy M	99
Gotoline	107	Duchess of Montebello	95
Eldorf	107		
Capt. MacCormick	103		

Third race—6 furlongs, selling:

Elastic	117	Basil	99
Joe Lesser	114	Panoramatis	99
Dapple Gold	111	Hyacinth	95
Dan McKenna	110	Little Red	84
My Gem	102	Bitter Brown	99
Jungle Imp	107	Gay Adelaide	89
North wind	102	Sincerity Belle	89
J. C. Clem	102		

Fourth race—6½ furlongs, selling:

Blue and Orange	114	Evening Star	109
Lenhan	113	Bonebrake	106
Triple Silver	113	Raining Leaves	104
Glendon	113	Lady Ethel	97
Select	113	Grove Center	94

Fifth race—6½ furlongs, selling:

Schoharie	117	Edward Hale	109
Mohave	115	Optional	107
Limerick	114	Lythelist	104
St. John	114	Beechwood	97
Berube	112	Henpecked	97
Simon Kent	109	Maureen	97
Brookston	103		

Sixth race—Mile, selling:

Etta M	110	Pirates Lance	102
Dreamland	110	Loretta H	101
Hekate	110	Katherine L	99
Request	107	Handbag	97
Belle of Owensboro	105	Ancient Witch	96
Oberon	104	Little Rose	95

Leash Finally Wins a Race.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Leash, after trying for two years to win a race, finally captured the second event at Oakland today at odds of 30 to 1. The public picked Cabin to win at 3 to 2, but he failed to get a place. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Utica, 111 (Robinson), 3 to 1, won; Bonaventura, 112 (Clark), 9 to 5, second; Lassen, 112 (Kelly), 10 to 1, third. Time, :45. Emily B., Bray St. Clair, Galvestonian, Bertie A., Fairy Street, Ruby Morton, Roseberry, Lambertha and Santa Clara also ran.

Second race, one mile and a sixteenth—Leash, 105, T. Sullivan, 20 to 1, won; Lone Fisherman, 110 (Robart, 20 to 1, second; Allopath, 106 (Glinder), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:49½. Cabin, No Remarks, Moor, Rose Ely, Amirad, James Ross, Sacredness and Ralph Reese also ran.

Third race, one mile—Pronta, 105 (Clark), 7 to 10, won; Viona, 105 (Brussel), 12 to 1, second; Hugh McGowan, 102 (Sandy), 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:42. Chestnut, Homestead, Bryanthorpe and Lehro also ran.

Fourth race, one mile—Dewey, 110 (B. Powell), 3 to 5, won; Pickaway, 107 (Clark), 15 to 1, second; Miss May Bowdish, 107 (Palmus), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42⅘. Hot, Chablis, Maj. Tenny, Modicum, Landsdown, Flaunt and Brigand also ran.

Fifth race, one mile and an eighth—Epicure, 112 (J. J. Walsh), 9 to 2, won; Dusty Miller, 115 (P. Kelly), 8 to 1, second; Harbor, 110 (Clark), 15 to 2, third. Time, 1:55⅘. Dixie Lad, Rough Rider, Watercure, Preservator and Needful also ran.

Sixth race, mile and an eighth—Graphite, 108 (C. Miller), 7 to 1, won; McGregor, 101 (Brussel), 8 to 1, second; Bonar, 104 (Robinson), 9 to 10, third. Time, 1:54⅘. Liberto, Byronsdale, Rockey, Lelia Hill, Little Joker and Hoodwink also ran.

Seventh race, 7½ furlongs—Yada, 112 (J. J. Walsh), even, won; Sir Brillar, 107 (Clark), 4 to 1, second; Gorgaleite, 105 (Phillips), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:34. Hans Wagner, Graceful and You You also ran.

Oakland Entries Friday.

First, 6 furlongs—

Delighted	105	Voquohama	110
Miss Topsy	105	Triconnet	110
Oasis	105	Silent Jean	107
Get Rich Quick	105	Fred Uhrig	107
Rumor	105	Vie	107
Marillius	110	Tejon	107

Second, 6 furlongs—

Wheatstone	93	Santa Ray	110
Hedgethorn	106	Royal Colors	110
Chief Wittman	106	Southern Lady II	76
Abel Thatcher	106	Mazel	101
Main	105	Selma	101
Atkins	106	Montanus	101

Third, 5 furlongs—

Pentagon	113	Cocksure	110
I'm Joe	113	Moncie Mabel	109
Lady King	101	Grasscutter	108
Jilleto	101	Valencia	106
Betsy	101	Fred Bent	103
Lord Nelson	105		

Fourth, the furlongs—

Princess David	107	Tom Kingsley	107
Lustig	106	Sidable	107
Meringue	105	Yellowstone	110
Parting Jennie	103	The Forum	110
El Veracco	107	W. P. Palmer	102
Matt Hogan	107		

Fifth, 6½ furlongs—

Hall Reed	107	Titos II	107
E. C. Runte	107	Hobbard	107
Pacifico	107	Alice Carey	105
Willie Gregg	107	The Major	110
Shady Lad	107	Golden Buck	102
Cerro Santa	107		

Sixth, mile and 30 yards:

Lugrece	106	Pronia	106
Lem Reed	106	Ten Oaks	107
Red Waldo	106	Prestano	107
Rey Dare	106	Red Light	111

Seventh, 6 furlongs—

Don Domo	101	Bob Ragon	99
Romaine	101	Mahsedo	104
Lagene	95	Hector	106
Ghostie	103	Boloman	90
Sir Edward	103		

TRACK FOR JUMPERS.

Those Who Are Promoting Steeplechasing in Pittsburgh Making Plans.

Percy E. Donner and Dallas C. Byers went down to Brunots Island race track yesterday afternoon to look over the infield and make arrangements for constructing a steeplechase course on it. The necessary money to do the work, $6,500, is already raised and an engineer will be employed in a few days.

The outlook is now for a spring and fall meeting for runners, with amateurs in the saddle. The Pittsburgh Steeplechase and Polo association has effected a temporary organization and a charter will be applied for. The association will join the United Hunts association and the American Polo association.

GRAND CIRCUIT AT CLEVELAND

A Meeting Over the Glenville Race Is Definitely Announced.

Harry K. Devereaux, vice-president of the Cleveland Driving Park Company, formally announces that a five days' meeting will be held over the Glenville track. The classes will range from free-for-alls to 2:38 horses.

The conditions are: Three races will be given each day of three heats each. Each heat to be a race, and the money will be divided 75, 15 and 10 per cent. The entrance fee will be 1 and 2 per cent., with 3 per cent additional to start, nothing to be deducted from winners.

THIS DOG COULD REALLY BE CALLED VALUABLE

BUCYRUS, O., April 12.—(Special.)—A pet dog saved the residence of Mrs. Hannah Saul from destruction today. Sparks from a flue set fire to some paper and the house would have been ablaze soon had not the dog kept up a continual barking until attention had been attracted and the fire discovered.

New Castle Players All Report.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 12.—(Special.)—All the 26 players signed by Manager Stettler for the "Noocks" team of the O. & P. league are now here and daily practice has begun at Cascade park.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

On the grounds at Eleventh street yesterday the Patriots defeated the Romneys by a score of 6 to 5.

The Echoes would like to hear from all 12-13-year-old teams. Address William Caleutta, Minnesota street, city.

The Fayette Juniors want games with 16-year-old teams. Address W. R. Loomis, 1326 Kentucky ave., Allegheny.

The Lydia A. C. of Greenfield avenue would like to hear from the Carrol A. C. Address James Smith, 82 Lydia street, city.

The W. A. A. would like to arrange games with 16-year-old teams. Address Charles Mooney, Graves avenue, Allegheny.

The Miller A. C. would like to hear from 16-year-old teams for May 12 and 19. Address William Dohler, Woodland avenue, Allegheny.

The Morningside Juniors have organized and are booking games with 11-12-year-old teams. Address Bruce Wigglagion, 7226 Butler street, city.

The Liberty A. C. would like to hear from all 15-16-year-old teams having grounds. Address C. H. Van Osmer, 626 Lincoln avenue, city.

The Lilac A. C. has April 24 open for 13-14-year-old teams. Half expenses for 10 players. Address E. Troetschel, Moye street, Ht. Oliver Station.

St. James Lyceum is ready to book games with first-class teams at home or abroad. Address M. Cosgrove, 5 Neptune street, West End, city.

Hickey A. C. of Braddock would like to arrange a game for May 25 at Braddock. Address H. O'Rourke, 2237 Braddock avenue, Swissvale, Pa.

The Victoria A. C. has April 21 open for a game at home and all holiday dates for out-of-town teams. Address John A. Thompson, P. O. Box 62, city.

The Hilltop Amateurs of Carnegie would like to arrange a game for tomorrow with a 7-8-year-old team. Address F. A. Flood, 619 Frick building, city.

The Guild A. C. would like to arrange games with all 10-11-year-old teams having grounds. Address Charles Thomas, care Philadelphia Company, Sixth avenue, city.

The P. A. C.'s of Homewood open the season with the Guild A. C., and would like to hear from 10-12-year-old teams. Address George White, 7104 Mt. Vernon street, city.

The Chamberlain A. C. would like to arrange two games with some out-of-town team for July 4. Springdale Amateurs preferred. Address William Downey, 323 Taylor street, city.

The Rambler club of Allegheny has April 28, May 5, Decoration day, June 2 and July 4 open to any first-class out-of-town team. Address John Fowler, 103 Chester avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

The Manhattan A. A. has Decoration day open away from home with some first-class team and Saturdays in June and July at home. Address John Meisel, 929 Morrison avenue, Allegheny.

The Allegheny Independents will practice tomorrow. All players report without fail. They have open dates for teams with grounds. Address John L. Thompson, 16 Woods Run avenue, Allegheny.

Mt. Oliver would like to hear from 8-9-year-old teams. The following players will report at Wineshanners' field: Fuchs, S. Pretters, J. Pretters, J. Hehman, G. Kessler, A. Kessler, France, H. Holzwart and Hensler.

The following Kenwood players will please report at P. A. C. park tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock: Standish, T. Perry, L. Perry, McMorris, Negley, H. McFarland, Schant, C. McFarland, Kemmer, Crouse, Williams and Weis. All first-class teams desiring games address P. C. Negley, 1115 Shetland.

There will be a meeting of the Riverview A. C. next Tuesday evening at 748 West Carson street. The following players are requested to report: Kelly, Gallagher, O'Leary, M. O'Brien, P. O'Brien, J. O'Brien, Rohan, Fegarty, Bradley and Sullivan. The above players please report Sunday at Riverview park for practice. Address P. P. O'Brien, 749 West Carson street, city.

GIVES HUSBAND SURPRISE.

Farmer Drives to Town With Wife and Learns Later She Has Started Action for Divorce.

WARREN, O., April 12.—(Special.)—John McCune, a farmer living at State Road, was astonished yesterday afternoon when he was stopped on the street by Deputy Sheriff Williamson and handed an order from the court restraining him from molesting his wife and notifying him that she had applied for a divorce. McCune had driven to this city with his wife less than an hour before and had no intimation that she was going to seek legal separation. Last winter while intoxicated, McCune, it is said, drove his wife and children from the house with a shotgun.

IMMENSE CONTRACT FOR RAILROAD EXTENSION

OTTAWA, ONT., April 12.—Two contracts for the construction of sections of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, aggregating $19,000,000 were awarded today. J. C. MacArthur of Winnipeg got the contract for 245 miles from Winnipeg eastward, and Hogan & McDonald of Montreal for 159 miles west from Quebec. The figure for the former contract is about $13,250,000 and for the latter about $5,750,000.

Want to Use Arsenal Grounds.

Residents of Lawrenceville are again agitating the question of using the upper grounds of the Allegheny arsenal for a children's playground during the summer months. The walls are broken down in places and the boys have already been taking advantage of this to use the inclosure for ball games and other sports. Residents of Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets favor the continuation of Davis avenue through the arsenal grounds.

Verdict for Dead Plaintiff.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 12.—A verdict of $1,000 was awarded to the the administrator of Isabella Laverock against John J. Dempsey. Dempsey was notified not to sell liquor to Mrs. Dempsey's husband and did. She died before the suit was started but it was prosecuted by the administrator. The first trial resulted in a verdict for the defendant, which was reversed by the circuit court and tried again.

It never disappoints. Pilene positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

VOTES $10,000 TO BREED HORSES

Jockey Club Resolves to Expend That Sum Is Improving Quality of Runners.

MANY STALLIONS ARE SECURED

NEW YORK, April 12.—The stewards of the Jockey club, the controlling body of the eastern turf, took an important step today when at a meeting of the full board, it was voted to appropriate $10,000 for the purpose of establishing a breeding bureau in order that the quality of horses in New York state may be improved. Through this bureau it is proposed that thoroughbred stallions shall be placed in the various counties of the state under such regulations as may be deemed proper. The project was placed in the hands of five members of the Jockey club, H. K. Knapp, chairman; E. T. Oxnard, Clarence Mackay, Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., and Harry Payne Whitney.

The resolutions on the subject adopted by the stewards state that such a bureau is deemed expedient in this state, its operations to be carried on in connection with and under the direct supervision of the Jockey club. It was also stated that many stallions had already been appointed for the purpose proposed in the resolution.

W. S. Vosburgh, at present the official handicapper of the Jockey club, was appointed to represent the Jockey club at the Aqueduct and Jamaica meetings, and Henry J. Morris was appointed steward to represent the Jockey club at the spring meeting of the Maryland club, Pimlico.

The following officials for the spring meeting of the Maryland Jockey club were also approved: Starter, Phil McGinnis; steward to represent the Jockey club and handicapper, Joseph A. Murphy; clerk of the course and scales, John Boden; judges, Frank J. Bryan and W. P. Riggs.

VOTE ON THE PROTEST.

Philadelphia Bowlers May Be Disqualified by the Executive Board.

DAYTON, O., April 12.—Sam Karpf, secretary of the American Bowling Congress, said today that he has received returns from the mail vote of the executive committee which he has been taking on the protest of Reed and Dresbach of Columbus against Hamilton and Hussey of Philadelphia. The latter pair won first prize in the doubles at the national tourney at Louisville, but were protested on the ground that they had not regularly entered.

Karpf has sent the vote on to President Bryson at Indianapolis, and refuses to say how it stands. The Philadelphians, however, have already been awarded the medals indicative of the championship.

NEW TRACK PROJECT NOT FOR PITTSBURGHERS

Pittsburghers are being told that a race track for runners is to be constructed at Hollidays Cove and a probable meeting is to be held there this fall. The way the project is going forward nothing better is promised than another Carnegie racing nothingness. An additional attraction is spoken of, a grand circuit meeting.

The best people of Pittsburgh will have nothing to do with the undertaking and the patronage it will draw from this city will not commend the project. If foreign books are put on the place will degenerate into a big pool room and a gambling layout.

BARON'S ARM IS HELD AS PLEDGE

It Was a Papier Machie One, But Its Owner Found It a Very Handy Affair.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 12.—Being without any arms to speak of, Baron London Bavastro de Cortazzi now has to pay in advance in all the boarding houses and hotels to which he would apply.

His best left arm was taken away from him in West Forty-third street. It is there with his trunk. His heart is in Egypt, where he would like to be, and through various legal complications he has nearly lost his head. As matters stand now, he declares that his neck has felt the heel of the oppressor and that he finds no more joy in living in the United States.

His missing arm was literally talked away from him, for in an argument about a boardbill alleged to be unpaid he became so distracted that he went away without it. The proprietor of the Graystone hotel, in West Forty-third street, still has it, and in addition to that he had the baron arested for trying to get it again.

Probably no better left arm can be found in this country than the one which the baron had. It is almost human, although it is made of papier mache, aluminum, steel and wax. Ever since he was obliged to part with it the baron has been in difficulties. The hand of it could twirl a cigarette, write checks and carry a cane. One of the most skilled manufacturers of Egypt made it, and hardly had its owner been in this country a week, than a man offered him $100 more than it had originally cost. On account of the educated digits on the end, the baron always used this arm for shaking hands, as his right member is not as strong as it might be.

He appeared this afternoon in the Tombs police court to answer to the charge made against him, by an obdurate hotel keeper. He was almost in tears as he spoke of the hardness of heart which he had found in this country, and he has told his woes to the Egyptian consul.

"Never," said he, "have I heard that a man's arm was part of his luggage. It is indispensible that I have it. I find difficulty in going about from place to place and in making a creditable appearance."

Baron Cortazzi has of late been involved in a series of misfortunes. He was summoned as a witness before the coroner in the inquest over Mrs. Dennis, who died in a mysterious manner at the Hotel Marseilles.

But to all these conditions the baron says if they will give him his good left arm he will rise superior. His father has large estates near Alexandria and to him the baron has cabled for a remittance. Meantime he was paroled in the charge of his counsel on his promise to appear next Monday afternoon in the Center street police court.

FLAMES DESTROY HOTEL.

Two Fires in Southern City Cause Property Loss of $90,000—Insurance Is Small.

THOMASVILLE, GA., April 12.—The worst fire in the history of the city visited Thomasville tonight when the famous resort hotel, the Piney Woods, was burned to the ground.

Incendiarism or flying sparks fired the south portion of the town known as Sandy Bottom just as the Piney Woods fire was under control. Three blocks of stores were swept away. The hotel loss is estimated at $65,000; other losses estimated at $25,000. It is stated that only $12,000 insurance was carried on the hotel.

City May Save $1,000,000.

Mayor Guthrie expects to take the public into his confidence on Monday concerning the changes proposed in the filtration plant. The mayor, the director of public works and the contractors, the T. A. Gillespie company, have agreed to certain changes, and if it is legal to make changes in the specifications about $1,000,000 will be saved to the city.

Bandits Murder Seven.

SALONICA, EUROPEAN TURKEY, April 12.—A band of Bulgarians at Virjani Ular, near Seres, April 8 murdered seven Bulgarian patriarchists, including a woman.

JEWS IN AMERICA REFUSE TO BE CHRISTIANIZED

Speaker at Reformed Church Conference Wants to Know What Is to Be Done Toward Evangelization in Large Hebrew Communities.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADEL

DUCHESS LEAVES MILLIONS HAPHAZARD; HOPES TO SOLVE HER LIFE'S MYSTERY

Estate to Be Fought for by Charity or Those Who Can Prove Kinship.

MANY CLAIMING THE MONEY

By CONSTANCE MERRIMAN.
[SPECIAL LETTER TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, March 28.—When a rich person dies anywhere there is pretty sure to be a squabble over his money. But apparently the Duchess Bevalacque La Masa was not content to take the ordinary chances of having her memory kept alive by litigation. She died recently leaving a fortune of twenty-one million lire—in American money $2,500,000—a prodigious sum for Italy where a lire goes as far as a dollar will in the United States. To ensure a big fight for it she left a most singular will. She left her money to charity—or to her heirs if any could prove they were her heirs.

As the duchess doubtless foresaw her will has started a tremendous scrimmage. No less than 50 claimants have already entered the lists in the battle for her twenty-one million lire, and some of them certainly would not hesitate to tell that many lies to get it. They constitute a motley assemblage. Among them are tramps, beggars and mountebanks, youths struggling to acquire an education and old men whose lives have been chiefly devoted to forgetting all they ever learned at school; ugly old women and pretty young ones, and children not yet old enough to know the value of money. Most of them are very poor, but even those who are absolutely penniless, and whose claims to kinship with the dead duchess rest on the most shadowy foundations, can still find lawyers to take up their cases for them. Of course the charities which will benefit so largely if no heirs are found are conducting a most determined fight against one and all the claimants.

Incidentally the contest has led to the discovery that the identity of the duchess is shrouded in mystery. It is not positively known who was her father or who was her mother, or whether she really married the duke whose name she bore. Beautiful, rich, charitable, she figured for years as one of the best known women in Italy.

And now her friends have learned, with a shock of surprise, that they really knew very little about her. That has led to the conviction that her motive in leaving such

THE DUCHESS LA MASA,
Who left a fortune of twenty millions in such a way that the mystery surrounding her parentage was practically certain to be solved.

a strange will was not primarily to precipitate a fight for her millions, but to secure the unravelling of the mystery that surrounds her birth and antecedents. So far it has not been cleared up, but enough has been disclosed to show that her story is a most romantic one.

The investigation has shown that from 1818 to 1840 a girl known as Felicita Zarantonello Bevelacqua lived at Valdagno in the house of a lawyer, Bottino Bevilacqua, as a member of his family. She was exceptionally beautiful, amiable and good, but the rest of the household showed the strongest aversion to her. Why? In the answer to that question probably lies the solution of the mystery of her own parentage. Why should they have disliked one who was admired and made much of by all the rest of the village? It renders plausible the explanation which has been advanced to account for it that she was linked with a discreditable chapter in the life of Bevilacqua—that her existence was proof that he had not always been the eminently respectable man he appeared to be—and on this account his wife and other children resented her presence among them. No record has been found of her birth. Who was her mother has never been satisfactorily proved.

Whatever may have been the cause of the beautiful Felicita's unpopularity with the rest of the household, curious neighbors saw her leave the house one day weeping bitterly, and enter a waiting carriage. The spectacle caused a sensation. There was not a young man in Valdagno who would not gladly have jumped at the chance to avenge any slight or wrong done to the belle of the village. Some of them gathered about the vehicle, intent on learning the cause of her distress and hoping that they might obtain a commission from her to punch somebody's head, but before they could put any questions to her, the driver whipped up his steed and Felicita was driven rapidly away. At the house it was said that she had gone to live with some friends in Rome and that she might never return.

Made a Brilliant Marriage.

The village heard, some six months later, that the penniless Felicita had found a fortune in her face and had contracted a brilliant marriage. A year later, as the Duchess La Masa, she paid a visit to the village, and dazzled all beholders by her equipage, her magnificent apparel and her ripened beauty. The admirers of her obscure days scarce dared to lift their eyes to her. She flashed before them like a radiant vision and was gone and Valdagno saw her no more, but her beauty is still one of the most cherished traditions of the village.

For many years she lived happily as the wife of the Duke La Masa, the well-known Garibaldean general, and took her place among the leaders of society as one to the manner born. After his death she inherited his fortune, and having no children to share it devoted herself to works of charity. During her life time, so far as is known, she made no efforts to discover any of her relations. At the time of her death no suspicion existed in the circles in which she had so long been a conspicuous figure, that she was of humble origin or had been born out of wedlock. But for her strange will no such suggestions would have come to light.

The investigations which have resulted from that document have led to the discovery that her marriage to the Duke La Masa is enveloped in mystery. No official record of it has been found. No one knows just where or when it took place. The only proof that such a ceremony was performed is a note which was sent from the municipality of Trissino to the mayor of Valdagno "on the marriage of General Guiseppe La Masa to Felicita Bevalacqua." But there it ends, with no hint of when or where it occurred. As matters now stand there is

The House at Valdagno Where the Duchess La Masa Lived as a Peasant Girl. She Was Spirited Away One Day And Returned Years After as a Great Lady, Riding in Her Carriage.

no legal evidence that she ever was the wife of the duke. It is even denied that it has been conclusively established that she was Felicita Bevalacqua, the girl who lived with the Valdagno attorney as a member of his family. All this further complicates the case, much to the delight of the counsel engaged upon it, for it means more rich pickings for them.

Many of the claimants are descendants of Bettino Bevalacqua. They assert that Felicita was an illegitimate daughter of Bevalacqua, but they maintain that she was legitimized before her marriage to Gen. La Masa. They have furnished no proof, however, that the bar sinister was thus effaced, and in the absence of any such proof, they stand small chance of sharing in the 22,000,000 lire left by the duchess to be fought for.

The most interesting of the claimants are a man and a woman, known as Giovanni and Gemma, by profession tramps, who walk the country in picturesque rags, the man's crop of dark hair and the woman's melancholy brown eyes bringing them in a living income from sentimental foreigners. One day they were taking a wayside al fresco meal when Giovanni, who was reading a newspaper, sprang to his feet with an exclamation. "Mia cara, this time next year you will be a duchess!" "Yes!" said Gemma with irony, "and you will be a prince I suppose." "No," said the other soberly, "I shall be a duke." "Stop romancing," answered Gemma crossly, "and give me that sausage; I am hungry if you are not." And thus began their claim to the La Masa millions, the idea arising through an account of the affair which Giovanni saw in the paper. He asserts that his name is really La Massa, and that he can prove that his father was second cousin to the general, and that as the duke's marriage with Felecita cannot be proved she had no right to dispose of the millions which were the general's, and that consequently both money and title are his. One almost hopes that it will prove to be so; tramps in this land of sunshine usually have the manners of a Caesar, Gemma is classically beautiful, and in Italy fairy tales have a strange way of coming true.

They, of course, had no money to press claims, as the profession of a beggar in normal times does not bring in more than enough to feed two healthy people, so they cast about for means to increase their income, and have really succeeded. They have rigged up a kind of small theater on wheels, and in this, with marionettes, they enact the story of the duchess, giving a most vivid representation of her death, in which she suddenly sits up in bed, and in a most tragic voice exclaims, "I have left an infamous will. I, therefore, now declare that my husband's money should go to his own people, to Gemma and Giovanni, who will do honor to it!" This always brings down the house, or rather the countryside.

Rival Claimant Wrecks Show.

The last scene shows Gemma and Giovanni surrounded by servants who can scarcely take orders for the succession of "Signora Duchessa" and "Signor Duca" which fall from their lips. One day disaster befell the show, as one of the other claimants attended the performance, and not having the repose of the Vere de Veres, let his indignation get the better of him. He threw stones at the theater from a safe distance and damaged it badly.

Among the numerous other claimants are three children, whose guardian claims the La Masa fortune for them on the ground that Felicita's mother was always vaguely supposed to have been a certain Angela Rossi, and that his wards are the children of this Angela's sister. "Besides," the guardian added pathetically one day, "they ought to have the money, because if they do not they will have to go into one of the charitable institutions supported by the late duchess!" The children are aged 12, 10 and 7, respectively, and at present think much more of games and a good dinner than of mysterious millions. Their guardian is a queer old Jew said to be their uncle, but he claims no relationship at present. However, if they got the millions it is unsafe to predict what might happen.

Naturally the charities interested are making a most vigorous fight for the millions left by the duchess, demolishing as best they can each claimant as he appears. One and all when they fail to bring any kind of convincing proof, end by saying how poor they are, and what need they have of the money, so that the executors of the will of the duchess are tired out giving explanations which fall on deaf ears. If the truth were told it would be found that they have very uncomplimentary feelings towards the duchess, one of them having been heard to say that "only a woman could have thought of such a way of keeping her memory green!"

Gemme and Giovanni, Italian Tramps Who Claim the Estate Left by the Duchess La Masa.

NAVVY A WINNER IN WARM DEBATE

John Ward, Poorest Man in Parliament, Worsts Earl Percy on Labor Trouble.

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[SPECIAL LETTER TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, April 2.—There was a striking scene in the house of commons the other day highly significant of the change that has taken place in what used to be called "the finest club in Europe." A navvy and the heir to a dukedom crossed swords in debate and the navvy triumphed. The navvy was John Ward, the poorest member of parliament, who has to support himself, a wife, four children and an old mother on $12 50 a week, the salary he receives as secretary of the Navvy's union which he founded. His opponent was Earl Percy, who will some day be duke of Northumberland and owner of many thousands of broad acres. He has occupied a seat in parliament for ten years. The subject under discussion was Chinese labor in South Africa. As the representative of the class that profits most by cheap labor, Earl Percy had defended their employment and had declared that white men would not and could not work in the mines.

"I can tell the noble lord," said John Ward, "that I have worked in different parts of the empire, and there is no work under the sun that a Briton cannot do—it is always a question of how much wages you offer him. If British workers went to the Rand, they would demand decent wages, proper mine regulations, trade organizations, and a hundred and one other things of that sort, and it is because our friends here (pointing to the little pro-Chinese group) know this that they object.

Fought for the Empire's Flag.

"I have been dubbed a Little Englander," he exclaimed, after some allusion to the war, standing erect, with broad shoulders, looking a man every inch of his six feet and more.

"What you?" cried an astonished member.

"Yes, I have been called a Little Englander," he went on. "I'm a pretty good specimen, and I've done what some of those who use that phrase have not done—I've risked my life for the Empire!" A rattling chorus of cheers greeted this and Ward wound up a most telling speech by saying that he had seen mothers parting from their sons who went to the front—"those women did not think that their boys would leave their bones bleaching on the veldt in order to introduce Chinese labor! The flag has been mentioned in this debate—I've marched under that flag; I would not allow it to be used in my election because it does not belong to any section or party in this country—it belongs to all. The overwhelming majority returned to this house was sent here to put an end to this system of Chinese labor at the earliest possible moment, and there must be no handling it on ad infinitum."

And so ended one of the most effective speeches the house has heard for many a day—"a speech," says one who was present, "that made one proud of the country that could produce a navvy who could capture the attention and earn the respect of the house of commons in a maiden speech."

John Ward, M. P.

Distinguished-Looking Man.

John Ward disproves the popular notion that it is blue blood which confers what is called an air of distinction. He hasn't a drop of blue blood, but he is the most distinguished-looking man in the house. None of the many scions of aristocracy there can hold a candle to him in that respect. He is the sort of man one instinctively singles out in a crowd as a leader of men. He has the face of an artist and the frame of a lifeguardsman. There is not an ounce of superfluous flesh on his well-knit and well-trained body. He has served in the sweltering Soudan, and bears the Egyptian star and the medal of the Suakin-Berber expedition of 1884—that desperate race against time when the railway construction corps had to face the raids of Osman Digna's Hadendo was with their shovel-headed spears, in the middle of the work of laying the ties. He showed courage of a finer and rarer quality when, years later, he made speeches denouncing the Boer war before crowds of infuriated jingoists.

He was born in 1866; went to work when he was seven, and has been at it ever since. He has served in the army; he has wielded the pick and spade in many lands; he has had charge of the gentle coolie in tropical climes; he speaks calmly, tersely and directly out of the depths of an experience far more versatile than that of the average university-bred, society-pampered legislator.

"Because he could not bring himself to surrender his right of independent action and expression of opinion, he refused to sign the labor representative committee's constitution and so cut himself off from the $1,000 a year which most of the labor members in the house receive from that source. But he confesses he finds it impossible, as a member of parliament, to make both ends meet on the $12 50 a week he gets from his union, and some friends are raising a fund to help him out. In his own person, he presents a most effective argument in favor of the payment of members of parliament by the state, which the government stands pledged to do whenever the chancellor of the exchequer can save money enough out of the budget.

Labor Members of High Standard.

People have been astonished at the high standard of intellectual power displayed by the labor members, most of whom have taken their seats in the house for the first time. But the explanation is simple. They are picked men. Their selection is the result of a sifting process far more severe than is applied to the representatives of any other class. Before they become labor members, they have to be labor leaders, and to attain such positions, they can rely on no other influences than their own abilities and force of character. They begin their struggles in a republic where all count as their equals, and they get to the top by demonstrating that they are better qualified for such positions than their fellows. There they have to serve hard taskmasters, for life deals too harshly with working men to make them lenient to others, and the labor leader who does not rise to a high standard of duty and work is soon tumbled down from his giddy eminence.

Such men, after ruling wild democracies for many years, enter the house of commons without any of the affrighting superstitions that awe the members of other sections. They are unabashed and self-confident. They have convictions; they are deadly in earnest; they have been sent there for a purpose and that purpose they are bent on achieving. Already they have introduced into the house an entirely new spirit. It is no longer an excellent club, where men can spend most of their time smoking, gossiping, loafing and dining. The old order of things has disappeared never to return.

RETURN VERDICT OF GUILT.

Lenthy Trial of Green and Gaynor Ends at Savannah—Were Charged With Conspiracy.

SAVANNAH, GA., April 12.—Greene and Gaynor were found guilty on all three indictments today. Judge Speer ordered a recess until tomorrow, when sentences will be imposed. The trial of Messrs. Greene and Gaynor consumed about 13½ weeks.

The defendants were charged with conspiracy to defraud the government and embezzlement in connection with the big government engineering works in this vicinity. They were indicted in 1902 and after fighting extradition proceedings in New York, fled to Canada. After lengthy proceedings there they were finally extradited and were brought to Savannah for trial.

IS INSTRUCTED TO VOTE FOR UNION OF CHURCHES

The Pittsburgh presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church met yesterday in the Clairton Cumberland Presbyterian church and elected a delegate to attend the general assembly of churches contemplating union at Decatur, Ill., this year, the Rev. J. C. Francis of Tarentum being chosen. He was instructed to vote for the union of churches. The Rev. W. F. Dangley of McKeesport was elected alternate. The meeting adjourned to meet in McKeesport in September.

Prominent Minister Dies.

DELAWARE, O., April 12.—The Rev. L. B. Lahr, one of the most prominent pastors of the Reformed church in Ohio, died last night of brain fever at his home here. He was a trustee of Heidelberg university at Tiffin, and had been at the head of the Zion's church in this city for the past 13 years. He will be buried at Tiffin, next Saturday.

"BRAVEST WOMAN OF MODERN TIMES" CLOSES EVENTFUL LIFE IN FLORENCE

Jessie White Mario Did Stirring Service for the Cause of Italian Liberty.

IN "RED SHIRT" CAMPAIGN

[SPECIAL LETTER TO THE GAZETTE.]

FLORENCE, March 28.—Tempestuous careers have often had quiet endings, but not often is so striking a contrast to be noted as that between the close of the life of Jessie White Mario and those eventful days that made her, as an Italian newspaper expresses it, "the impersonation of the Garibaldian and the Mazzinian movements combined." Few visitors to Florence during the present generation were so much as aware of her existence. Those who met her or saw her perhaps on her way from her modest home in the Via Romana to the school in which she taught English, found it difficult to picture their quiet-looking, white-haired old lady as Mazzini's co-conspirator, Garibaldi's associate on the field of battle.

As a matter of fact there must always have been something incongruous between her personal appearance and her role as an Italian revolutionary. Marc Monnier wrote a novel dealing with the Neapolitan life of forty years ago, and Jessie White Mario's share in it as a reformer, in which he depicts her, in a spirit of not unfriendly caricature, as "Miss Hurricane." It is on record that she broke in upon King Victor Emmanuel in his private rooms, brandishing her famous green cotton umbrella in her excitement, upon one occasion when she felt that immediate action on his part was called for in the interests of the Great Cause. "Il Re Galantuomo" was always susceptible to feminine influence, but never probably had he known it to take such a form as this! Even in the ardour of those days, people smiled at the figure of the quaintly-attired Englishwoman with the keen eyes and thin resolute lips, while they admired and applauded her clear brain and warm heart.

Great Aid to Garibaldi.

She was born in Gosport, a suburb of Portsmouth, and was the child of a sailmaker in the Isle of Wight, whose business had begun to dwindle in consequence of the growing use of steam. She was earning her own livelihood by teaching, when in 1854, she first set eyes on Garibaldi. He recognized in her at once a well-wisher on whom he could count for valuable service. "You shall come and nurse my soldiers for me in our next fight," he said to her, and she at once prepared herself for the task, setting herself strenuously to the study of medicine and surgery. But it was in the capacity of special correspondent to the Daily News that she eventually came to Italy, and met her future husband, Alberto Mario, at Genoa, the hotbed of the revolutionary party. Mario was the scion of a noble but impoverished Ferrarese family, and an ardent Republican patriot. With him she was engaged in a conspiracy, which was discovered. She had just completed a letter to the Daily News, when the police officers entered her room and arrested her. Mario had only time to post it before sharing her fate. They were imprisoned for four months. On their liberation, they both found their way to England, were married in her father's house, and proceeded to America, where they became active propagandists of the cause of Italian freedom.

On the outbreak of the war of independence in 1859 they returned to Italy and joined Garibaldi's camp. Signora Mario took up her journalistic work again and contributed special correspondence to the Daily News. Knowing her enterprising and eager disposition, the editor sent her a warning note. "Don't get into prison again," he wrote, "because it is very inconvenient for the paper."

Fought With the Red Shirts.

With Garibaldi's "red shirts," Signora Jessie White Mario went through the Italian campaign of 1859 and 1860, and saw much of the fighting which brought about the unity of Italy. She had on several occasions to escape from dangerous situations in disguise, and she frequently risked her life by taking the place of others who were being pursued and in imminent peril of capture. Garibaldi spoke of her as the bravest woman of modern times, and Mazzini, Victor Emanuel and other Italian leaders were warm in their admiration of her.

She refused all rewards for her services, with the exception of two gold medals which were struck in her honor by some of the wounded whom she had attended as inspectress of ambulances, a

Jessie White Mario.

post conferred upon her on the battlefield by Garibaldi.

In 1877 she rendered a different kind of service to Italy by her inquiry into the miseries of Neapolitan existence—a piece of work she undertook at the suggestion of that distinguished scholar and Italian senator, Prof. Pasquale Villari. In the following years she produced a number of other books of great interest and value, including lives of Garibaldi and Mazzini. Her husband died in 1883. Since that time she earned her livelihood chiefly, as already indicated, by her work as a teacher of English in a Florence school—a school of female pupil-teachers.

By a noteworthy coincidence her funeral cortege had to pass in front of Casa Guidi, bedecked a few hours earlier with flags and flowers in commemoration of the centenary of the birth of that other English heroine of the struggle for Italian independence, Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

WASHINGTON NEWS NOTES.

Senor Garbiras, the Venezuelan charge, has received a cablegram from Caracas confirmatory of the one received in New York by the consul general there to the effect that President Castro has temporarily resigned office.

Preparations are being made for the early beginning of work on the railroads to be built in the islands of Panay, Negros and Cebu in the Philippines, concessions for the construction of which were recently granted to a syndicate.

The house committee on Indian affairs has taken favorable action upon the McGuire bill providing for the pro rata distribution of the trust funds, moneys, lands and oil, coal and gas leases of the Osage tribe of Indians of Oklahoma.

The house committee on labor has taken favorable action on the Hunt bill prohibiting interstate commerce in prison-made goods. The bill is drawn along the lines of Wilson "original package" law, which has been sustained by the courts.

The senate committee on commerce has authorized a favorable report on a bill permitting steam yachts to continue the practice of carrying naphtha or gasoline tenders, notwithstanding the recent ruling of steamboat inspectors that the practice is prohibited by recently amended statutes.

The house committee on the judiciary has begun hearings on the anti-injunction bill. President Samuel Gompers was heard briefly in favor of the proposition and placed in the record a letter by former Senator Turner of Washington, also favoring the legislation.

According to a bulletin issued by the department of commerce and labor the total value of agricultural products exported from the United States for the eight months of the fiscal year 1906, ended with February was $700,000,000 as against $570,000,000 in the same period of 1905, $684,000,000 in 1904 and $568,000,000 in 1903.

Testimony favorable to the ship subsidy bill was taken by the house committee on merchant marine and fisheries yesterday. Speaking in behalf of the Great Lakes Harvey D. Goulder of Cleveland, president of the Merchant Marine league of the United States told of the necessity of government aid in building up the lake carrying facilities. This would benefit the whole middle west.

Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador, has advised Secretary Root at the state department that the Russian government is entirely willing to have the meeting of the second Hague conference postponed. It was stated that the Russian government in naming July had only in mind what it conceived to be the convenience of all concerned. Upon learning that the date would be inconvenient to the United States a postponement was agreed to.

To Gay New York on the Bumpers.

When Ralph Gray and George Brown, negro boys, each aged 10, were found on the bumpers of a Pennsylvania railroad train at Wilmerding yesterday, Gray explained that he wanted to "go to New Yawk," and Brown said he wanted to go along. The boys live in Station street, East Liberty, and had climbed upon the bumpers between the baggage cars of passenger train No. 10. When the train reached Wilmerding they were seen by Baggagemaster H. W. Millslagle and pulled from their perch. Millslagle gave them money to ride back to East Liberty.

May Purchase Railroad.

DELAWARE, O., April 12.—President Johnson and a party of Norfolk & Western officials passed through Delaware today on an inspection tour of the "short line" from Columbus to Sandusky, owned by the Pennsylvania road. It is reported here that the officials are contemplating purchasing the line. President Johnson declined to talk.

W. U. P. WINS HONORS ON FORENSIC STAGE

Her Debaters Defeat Sons of West Virginia in Debate on National Question

By the judges' vote of 2 to 1 the debating club of the Western university of Pennsylvania defeated the West Virginia university club in the first of the tri-state debates, held in the Second Presbyterian church, this city, last night.

"Resolved, That the United States government should exercise control over the formation and operation of all corporations engaged in interstate commerce," was the question. Each institution was represented by three students. The University of West Virginia had as her forensic champions B. M. Whaley, Ira V. Coghill and Fred L. Shinn, while the Western University was represented by Arthur Wallace Calhoun, Sidney Isaac Kornhauser and John Michael Henry.

The Pittsburgh institutions had the affirmative side of the question. Each speaker was allowed 10 minutes, and alternated between the affirmative and the negative speakers. Then, in rebuttal, each speaker was again allowed six minutes. The judges were the Hon. Alfred Caldwell, Wheeling; the Hon. Paul Gaither, Greensburg, and the Rev. A. B. Riker, D. D., president of Mt. Union college. In addition to winning the debate the Western university of Pennsylvania captured the first prize of $25, awarded to the best orator by William Dulles, Jr., of New York, John Michael Henry achieving that distinction. West Virginia took the second money prize of $15, through the splendid efforts of B. M. Whaley.

The University of West Virginia had the unpopular side of the question, but acquitted themselves creditably. The Pittsburgh debaters excelled from an oratorical standpoint, while the West Virginians spoke from notes and were more argumentative.

Chancellor McCracken of Western university presided, and the Glee club rendered music before and after the debate.

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(Eighth Floor.)

This is remarkably attractive furniture, which may be used appropriately in summer or winter homes or upon porches. Made of prairie grass in three harmonious shades of green, artistically woven.

Arm Chairs with side wings, broad arms, one large pocket for magazines, deep seat. $16.50.

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Rocking Chairs to match.....$17.00

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Arm Chairs to match.....$13.50
Rocking Chairs.....$14.50

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Writing Tables—large drawer with glass knobs, pocket on the top. 30 inches long. $17.00.

Desk Chair to match.....$4.50

Important Sale of the
The King Make.
(Third Floor.)

Blouses for Women and Misses. Low neck and short sleeves, with turn-down collars and turn-back cuffs. Suitable for Golf, Tennis, College and Street wear. Made of Imported Madras, all White with Blue, Brown and Black Stripes. Hand-made button holes. $2.00. Value $3.75.

Soft Messaline and Heavy Taffeta Silk Ribbon on Sale Friday and Saturday.

These ribbons—six inches wide—are suitable for hat trimmings, sashes, girdles, fancy articles and children's hair ribbons.

Colors—Cardinal, light blue, rose, pink, navy, nile, lilac, old rose, white and black. 25c per yard. Value 65c.

The Easter display of ribbons includes warp prints, embroidered, striped, Persian, plaid and plain, ranging in width from one-half inch to twelve inches.

Gold and silver beltings, showing a variety of colorings and designs.

Suits for Women.
(Third Floor.)

Made of English serge suiting, White ground with hair line cross-bar and light checks. Correct model. Trimmed with silk braid. Jacket handsomely lined. $55.00. Value $75.00.

Women's Coats of

High class cloths, silk or pongee coats for driving, automobiling, calling or useful for the train. $16.50, $18.00, $18.50, $25.00 to $125.00.

McCreery and Company,
Wood Street at Sixth Avenue,
Pittsburgh.

LATEST FASHIONS FOR THE FAIR SEX AND AFFAIRS OF WOMEN

The Road to Good Looks.

If the subject were to be discussed on the lines of the Pilgrim's Progress we would say that the road leads through the Valley of Endeavor, accompanied by Perseverance and continually beset by Disappointment. The more beautiful a woman is, the more painful is the road that leads to old age and vanished charm. No matter how great or small your individual stock of good looks, everyone should strive to retain and augment what has been allotted her. The years deal more kindly with some than others, and a great deal lies with the woman herself.

Look about a company of women between 30 and 40; it is not so much their features that give the look of age as the expression—the worried, hard look in the eyes, the peevish, discontented lines of the mouth, the lack of hope and joy visible in the whole face. Cultivate happiness, smiles, laughter. They keep you young. Take exercise in the open air daily. Fresh air is an essential. Begin from your earliest days to sleep with your window open. Use a bath every day, and in addition rub the skin thoroughly from head to foot. Never neglect some form of exercise that will keep your head erect, your shoulders well back. Carriage stands you in good stead even in old age. Believe that people like and admire you. This is more than half the battle, and takes you more than half the road to universal admiration. Never let yourself go. Rich or poor, you can always do the best for yourself.

Be careful of your diet. Study what suits your digestion. Do not take much meat nor much tea. Indulge in two good draughts of water each day—hot or cold, as best suits you. As a rule milk is good, and fruit should be eaten daily.

To be frumpish in dress is self-murder, as far as appearance goes. It is not necessary to spend a fortune, but see that you have nothing that does not suit you. Make a study of yourself. Be certain of your opinion of yourself and stick to it. If you have no money to squander, follow fashion at a respectful distance. Beware of fads. Never be entirely out of fashion, but do not copy too closely the most striking modes presented. Dress is the framework in the scheme of good looks. Do your best and then dismiss yourself from mind. It is fatal to be always thinking of the impression you or your clothing is making upon the company.

Rest at the right time. Half an hour's rest in the middle of the day tends to keep one young. If you can only shut your eyes and rest for 10 minutes, make a practice of this and you will be surprised to see how well you will come through the day. When going out in the evening try to sleep 15 minutes before or after your dinner. Above all, stop when you know you have had enough of either work or play. A day in bed occasionally, even a day fasting, will do wonders to tighten up the weary and over-strained physique.

Lastly, keep a serene mind. Violent fits of temper and depression, envy, hatred and all uncharitableness are most detrimental to good looks. A kindly, cheerful face betokens a kind heart, the foundation of all good looking and good living. It is in itself a beauty and keeps the possessor in touch with all that is loveliest and worthy in life.

Harmless Toilet Powders.

The idea that all powders are harmful to the skin is quite erroneous. The cheap scented powders for sale on the bargain counters are almost always harmful, not only to the skin but to the health. They clog up the pores and not only are distasteful to the person of refined taste but in many cases produce skin eruptions.

Many skins are so delicate as to require a powder. In infancy powder is used to prevent chafing and cracking of the skin. With an adult a good powder answers the same purpose.

An excellent powder to be used in the bag after the bath is made from powdered starch and orris root, three-quarters of the former to one-fourth of the latter. It should be kept in a fine gauze bag with which the skin should be lightly tapped, or a swans-down brush can be used. After a thin film has been deposited on the skin all superfluous particles should be brushed off.

Very finely ground rice meal, scented to taste is also an excellent toilet powder. Where there is a chaffed surface one quarter the quantity of lycopodium can be added to the starch powder with good effect as the lycopodium is healing in tendency.

For the face a very excellent and very cheap powder may be made from French chalk. This is in reality a fine quality of powdered soapstone. It is very white and very adhesive and does not lose color from contact with the secretions of the body.

It is far better to prepare your own powders at home using a few drops of attar of roses or other essence for perfume.

Dietetic Fads.

Fletcherism and vegetarianism, the one meaning the chewing of meats and the other the eschewing of it, have done much to cause the butcher to grumble, but the latest cult wafted across the water is that affected by the rich Londoners whose digestion has been impaired by too much dining.

Nuts now form the staple diet of many who find the French chef superfluous. Even the mild vegetable cutlet is considered inadequate for the purposes of the advanced diner.

Lord Charles Beresford has for some time been a vegetarian and now Lady Charles has adopted the same form of diet and lives principally on nuts. The earl of Buchan and Neville Lytton are also among the recent recruits.

"If the unemployed only knew, said a nut convert, "they can live luxuriously for two or three cents per day on the finest food on the earth and it can be varied so there will be no monotony of dishes."

A booklet has been compiled by one of the leaders in the cult purporting to show the difference in the amount of nutriment contained in nuts as compared with flesh foods:

Chestnuts	89.3	Lean beef	28.0
Walnuts	88.2	Veal	29.0
Filberts	59.5	Mutton	34.8
Brazil nuts	84.0	Fat Pork	61.0

Button Dumplings.

When you are looking for a variation of the drop dumpling or noodle to serve with a meat stew try Knoepfli.

This is a German dish served in one of the German restaurants frequented mostly by men. Beat two eggs lightly and add one-fourth cup of milk. Pour this mixture gradually over one cup of flour mixed and sifted with one teaspoon of salt. Place a colander over your pot of meat stew about 20 minutes before you intend serving, and into this colander pour half of your batter. With an old-fashioned wooden potato masher force the batter through the colander into the boiling liquor. When the little buttons rise to the top of the water they are done. Remove to a dish with a skimmer, sprinkle with grated Swiss cheese and season with salt.

Appetising Additions to the Larder.

A very dainty sandwich for ball suppers is called cream sandwich. The ingredients are: Quarter of a pint of good cream, three teaspoonfuls of salmon or shrimp paste, half a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, salt and pepper and thin slices of brown bread.

Whisk the cream until it is quite stiff. Stir the fish paste in lightly, add the parsley, and season the whole well. Spread this mixture on the slices of unbuttered bread, put two slices together and stamp them out into neat little rounds. A dust of red coralline pepper improves the appearance of these pretty little sandwiches, which should be served on lace paper, or one of the so charming Japanese crepe doilies garlanded with flowers.

LUCK AND LAZINESS.

Luck tapped upon a cottage door,
A gentle, quiet tap,
And Laziness, who lounged within,
The cat upon his lap,
Stretched out his slippers to the fire
And gave a sleepy yawn;
"Oh, bother! let him knock again!"
He said; but Luck was gone.

Luck tapped again, more faintly still,
Upon another door,
Where Industry was hard at work
Mending his cottage floor.
The door was opened wide at once;
"Come in!" the worker cried,
And Luck was taken by the hand
And fairly pulled inside.

He is still there—a wondrous guest,
From out whose magic hand
Fortune flows fast—but Laziness
Can never understand
How Industry found such a friend.
"Luck never came my way,"
He sighs, and quite forgets the knock
Upon his door that day.
—St. Louis Republic.

Seasonable Recipes.

Cauliflower au Gratin.—Boil a small cauliflower until tender, place on a baking dish, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and brown in the oven. Serve with a thin white sauce made as follows: Melt two tablespoons butter and two of flour, mix until smooth, then pour in slowly stirring to prevent lumping, one pint of hot milk. Season with salt and pepper.

Puree of Parsnips.—Wash, scrape and remove any black spots from parsnips. Cut one pound into thin slices. Melt one ounce of butter in a pan, add the parsnip ounce of butter in a pan, add the parsnips and one sliced onion and stir for five minutes. Add one quart of stock, or one pint of milk and one of water and simmer until the vegetables are quite done. Rub them through a wire sieve, re-boil and season. If too thick thin with milk. Serve with toast discs after seasoning to taste.

Corn Omelet.—Beat the yolks of five eggs until light, add one-half cupful of cream and one pint of sweet corn. When mixed add one scant teaspoonful of white pepper and the white of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Melt one teaspoon of butter in a hot frying pan and when hissing hot pour in one-half the mixture, shake and stir until set, then roll and turn out on a hot platter. Cook the remainder in the same way and serve at once.

Russian Salad Dressing.

A welcome change from the over-worked French dressing is obtained by following this formula: Mix four tablespoons of made mustard with one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon paprika, one-half teaspoon Worcestershire sauce and one tablespoon vinegar. Then add very slowly while stirring constantly, one-half cup olive oil.

Use the imported mustard, either French or German. Results will not be satisfactory if the home variety is used. This is a dressing especially delicious poured over tomatoes and lettuce. Skin small tomatoes of uniform size, scoop out most of the center and arrange on nests of lettuce leaves. Fit a thin slice of cucumber in each tomato, arrange a ring of green peppers around each slice of cucumber and garnish with a small round truffle. This makes a salad unique as well as delicious, and one that would do credit to the most dainty of luncheons or dinners.

Hygienic Pastry.

Here is a recipe for pastry which Dr. Susanna W. Dodd claims can be eaten by the dyspeptic without after-qualms:

One cup sweet cream, one and one-half cups sifted graham flour, one and-half cups white flour, two-thirds teaspoon of soda, finely pulverized, one and one-half teaspoons cream of tartar. Have all ingredients ice cold. Mix graham and white flour with soda and cream of tartar, sift two or three times to blend thoroughly. Wet with the cold cream, stirring lightly and quickly together without kneading. As soon as the paste will hold together, roll it out or set in an ice chest until wanted.

In making pumpkin or custard pies brush the crust with the beaten whites of an egg before adding the filling.

For juicy fruit pies, after lining the pie-pans, sprinkle first with a little flour, then sugar, brushing the two together.

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(No. 5144.) Ladies' Dressing Sacque.

While a dressing sacque is really a garment for comfort, it can at the same time be dainty and becoming. This design is a particularly good model, and a pretty garment could be made by this pattern at very little expense. Tucks are laid in the front to about yoke depth and the fullness at the waistline in the back is confined by gathers held in position by a stay. A fancy collar trimmed with lace gives a pretty finish, and the belt may be of the material or ribbon could be used. China silk, albatross, outing flannel, or dimity are all appropriate for the making. The medium size requires 3¾ yards of 36-inch material. Ladies' dressing sacque No. 5144: Sizes for 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inch bust measure. The pattern here illustrated will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents.

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THE GAZETTE FASHIONS.

A HERALD OF EASTERTIDE.

This charming princesse gown comes forth as a claimant for Easter honors, and leads as a smart mode for spring. It is built of pale mauve face cloth, having trimmings of pansy purple silk braid. The trimming is arranged with artistic simplicity upon the short, square Eton jacket, very narrow soutache and tiny buttons, supplementing the wider braid. A hat of straw in the same color, trimmed with large white moss roses and pansy velvet ribbon, completes the costume.

As the season advances the modistes are ringing in many novelties of trimming on the princesse skirts. This is inevitable when a style springs into such popularity as has characterized the spring modes. Stitchings of braid and bias bands of cloth render new gowns more complicated in effect, while enhancing their beauty. A great many ultra models owe their cachet to the fact that silk braid and cloth bands are combined in the decorative scheme of the dress, and the jointure is usually emphasized by additions of fancy buttons or bits of lace. The hip-yoke is gradually transgressing the province of princesse modes, although for the present its effect is simulated rather than gained by a real hip emplecement. The simplicity of this design commends it to all women of refined taste. Carried out in white and black, it is quite as charming as in the original mauve tint.

Golf Gowns.

The Golf Girl's skirt should be like Caesar's wife—above reproach in cut and swing. It should be for many reasons perfectly plain, the fulness at the bottom obtained by the number and shape of the gores.

The ideal golf skirt is so designed and manipulated that whatever be the movements of the wearer, the skirt keeps its serenity of outline.

The perfect sporting skirt is the essence of simplicity. The popular model this season is that of four gores which introduce the popular center front seam sometimes arranged as a deep and much stitched double seam. The other seams come on the hip and in the center back.

The ideal golf suit should have a coat of the tweed to match. The full suit in tweed is more popular than the three-piece suit for golfing, and especially on the early spring course will have decided preference. The golf jacket may or may not be straight-fronted, hip length or a scant three-quarters in length.

A golf novelty worthy of mention is the knitted silk scarf. These commend themselves as saving valuable furs and as being more appropriate to the links. They come in gay colors—new greens, violet and blue and add a pleasing touch of color to the girl and the landscape as well.

The proper neckwear for golf is the soft crush stock of duck or pique, turned over once in front and caught with a simple pin.

The Mixing of Salads.

It is from the French, the acknowledged authorities in the matter of salad-making, that we get strictures against mixed salads. A French salad consists of one material only—all else is added by way of flavoring. If the addition passes this, it is not a French salad.

Those who have lived much abroad greatly miss the variety of tempting spring salad materials so common in foreign markets. Blanched dandelion, crisp and white, the young beet, sorrel, lamb's quarter and a dozen other tender green shoots, in this wasteful land are scorned as useless weeds.

Beetroot, cucumbers, tomatoes and radishes all make good salads by themselves. In the same way almost any cooked vegetable may be served as a salad course. Eggs may be added to the dressing—either hard boiled or as part of the dressing. Flavored vinegars are useful and oil need not necessarily be olive. Many people prefer the unflavored Florence oils. For everyday use the four necessary ingredients of the salad dressing are salt, pepper, vinegar and oil. Made mustard, flavored vinegar, egg yolk and other additions are for special occasions.

The great point to observe in the mixing of salads is to have the lettuce and herbs perfectly dry after washing, to add the dressing just at the moment before serving and be sure that the greens are fresh and crisp. The mixing must be thorough and should be done at table. Salad-making is an art that calls for skill and dexterity. To be a good salad-maker has often been worth a fortune.

Household Points.

Moisten the hem of a lace curtain if you wish the rod to slip in easily without damage to the fabric.

Handsome towels may be made by adding insets of linen torchon above the two inch hems in plain huckaback.

If alum is added to the paste used in covering boxes with paper or muslin, moth and mice will avoid them.

Shoemakers' sprigs, a variety of headless tack, is the best to use when fastening down oilcloth or linoleum.

If hooks for bathroom, kitchen and pantry are dipped in enamel paint there will be no trouble from iron rust.

Use pads of blotting paper between your best china plates when piling them away.

Use spirits of turpentine for cleaning Benares brass. Apply with a soft cloth and rub dry with a clean one.

An economical silence cloth may be made from squares of blotting paper glued to stout manila paper and fitted to the table top. It will require to be renewed occasionally, but the initial cost is so trifling that this need not be noticed.

Breast of Veal, Stuffed.

Veal is at its best at this season of the year, and the breast will be found quite equal to the kidney roast if prepared as follows: Select a piece the desired size and have the butcher prepare it for stuffing. Either bread stuffing or a filling of meat may be used. Use finely chopped round steak for the meat filling. To a pound of the chopped meat add a teaspoon of salt, a saltspoon of pepper, a small clove of garlic, minced fine, and a cupful of stock or water. Onions, sweet herbs or any preferred seasoning may be substituted for the garlic.

Wash and season your roast, fill with the prepared stuffing and sew up the slit. Put a quarter cup of drippings in the roaster and heat thoroughly, then add the meat well dredged with flour. Brown on all sides, add a cup of hot water, cover and cook slowly, basting frequently.

Veal must be well done, so allow two or more hours, according to size. Use plenty of butter to baste, as the meat is inclined to be dry.

Before serving remove the small bones and the thread used to close the pocket. Remove superfluous grease from the gravy, thicken and serve with the meat.

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An all-lace bolero formed entirely of super-imposed frills is still another fetching development of this popular garment. It may be worn over a high slip or with decollette.

There is a penchant for hems of narrow striped silk. These in black and white are especially good when used on colored cloths, such as powder blue, the new currant, reseda and geranium. A gown of pale grey cloth had a short bolero lined into a shaped semi-fitted band of geranium red cloth which was piped with black and white striped silk. There was a turn-down collar of the same cloth similarly piped, also cuffs and a small heart-shaped vest of the silk which closed with tiny black silk buttons.

To Make Popcorn Balls.

Mrs. H. K., Rankin, Pa.—The following are two very good ways to make popcorn balls. Make a syrup of a pound of sugar to a gill of water. Boil without stirring until a drop put into iced water becomes brittle. Remove from the fire, put into an outer pan of cold water to cool, and add the popped corn in sufficient quantities to make it thick. Stir the corn about in the syrup for a minute, then life out in spoonfuls on greased paper. As it hardens roll each spoonful into a ball, then roll this over and over in freshly popped sugared corn until the white kernels adhere to the sticky ball.

Make an old-fashioned molasses candy, and just before removing from the fire stir in enough popcorn to thicken it. Take the mixture out by the spoonful and roll as soon as it can be handled into balls; roll these in kernels of popcorn until no more will adhere to the balls.

Stuffed Flank Steak.

If you wish an economical and very delicious dish, try stuffed flank steak. Have your butcher reserve for you a nice thick flank steak. Do not have it scored, but have a pocket cut in it by splitting through the center within half an inch of the edge on three sides. Fill with bread stuffing or a force meat, and sew up the pocket. Sprinkle the meat with salt and pepper, roll in flour and place in a roasting pan in which some drippings have been allowed to heat. Have your oven hot, and after 20 minutes add to the pan one cup of hot water; cover and cook in a slower oven from one hour to one hour and a half, basting frequently. Thicken the gravy in the pan and serve with the steak.

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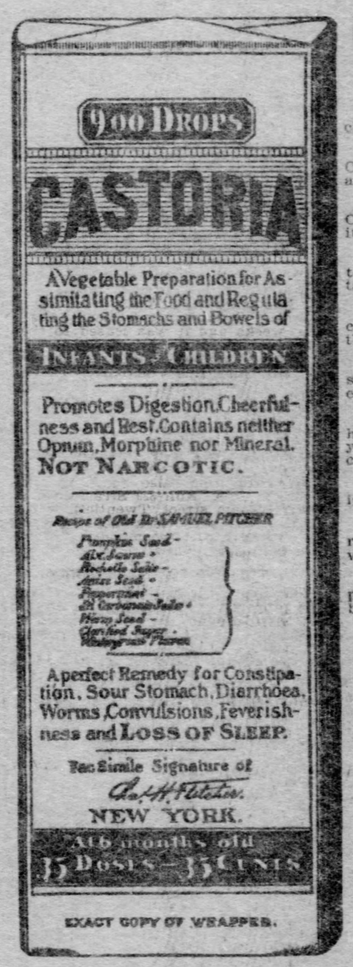
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MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM J. MOORHEAD of St. James street, together with their daughter and son, Miss Emily Black Moorhead and Rodman Wister Moorhead, and Mrs. Maxwell K. Moorhead of Ellsworth avenue, will leave tonight for St. Thomas, Ont., to attend the marriage of Maxwell Kennedy Moorhead of this city to Miss Murtel Ermatinger. The marriage will be solemnized on Monday at 12 o'clock in Trinity Protestant Episcopal church with simple ceremony, owing to the Moorhead family being in mourning. The bride will be given away by her father, Judge William Ermatinger. Her brother, Percy Ermatinger, together with Rodman Moorhead, will serve as ushers, while Walter P. Magee will be Mr. Moorhead's best man. The ceremony will be followed by a reception for the immediate relatives, after which the young couple will leave for a wedding trip. Before resuming his duties as United States consul to Ontario, Mr. Moorhead and his bride will visit their Pittsburgh and Philadelphia relatives. The Moorhead family will return to Pittsburgh on Tuesday, accompanied by Mr. Magee, who has been spending the winter in Colorado Springs with his kinswomen, Miss E. Louise McLeod Mitchell and Miss Helen C. Heberton.

Wedding News and Plans.

The Rev. George W. Robinson, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church, Allegheny, officiated at the marriage of Miss Edna C. Fried and B. Stanley Taylor yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fried, in Grant avenue, Bellevue. Only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony which took place at 5:30 o'clock, and was followed by a reception from 8 until 11. Mrs. Frank A. Johnston, as her sister's matron of honor, and Harry E. Duff of Pittsburgh, a cousin of the groom, who served as best man, were the only attendants. At the conclusion of an eastern trip after May 15, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will live in Grant avenue, Bellevue.

Mrs. William F. Smith announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Ada Lenora Kemble, to Paul Renwick Boardman on last Tuesday. At-home cards enclosed with the announcements read "after May 1, 402 Brushton avenue."

Miss Melissa A. Richey, daughter of Mrs. Elvina P. Richey and the late Isaac Richey of Kirkpatrick avenue, Allegheny, and Elmer L. Riseck were married last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the officiating clergyman, the Rev. David F. McGill, pastor of the Sixth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny. The couple will be "at home" in Lamont street, Allegheny, after May 15.

The marriage of Miss Anna Irene Dickey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Frank Dickey of Avonmore, and Charles Edgar Lake was performed at 4 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon in the Church of God, East End. The pastor, the Rev. J. L. Updegraph, and the Rev. W. H. McKlveen, an uncle of the groom, officiated in the presence of a few relatives and friends. After a wedding supper at the home of Frank Hurst the couple left for a short trip, after which they will live in Holden street.

William Carothers Stoop and Miss Margaret Soles of McKeesport were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer M. Soles, in Bridge street. The Rev. Harry M. Gregg, pastor of the Ballantyne Methodist Episcopal church, performed the ceremony. Only relatives and a few friends were present. The bride's father was formerly postmaster of McKeesport. Mr. and Mrs. Hoop left last evening for an eastern honeymoon tour.

In the presence of the immediate relatives and friends Miss Florence Bell Reid of East Pittsburgh and Dr. Randall Zimmerman of Normalville, Pa., were quietly married last evening at the home of the bride in South Park avenue. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William G. Reagle, D. D., of the First Presbyterian church of Braddock. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for their home in Normalville.

Persons Coming and Going.

Mrs. J. J. Vandergrift and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reed Hartley of Fifth avenue, East End, arrived home yesterday morning from a two months' trip to California.

A party of girls who arrived home Wednesday from Bryn Mawr college for the Easter vacation included two sophomores, Miss Rose Guthrie Marsh and Miss Helen Schmidt, and four freshmen, Miss Marie Bellville, Miss Helen Dunn, Miss Claude Seisel and Miss Pleasant Baker. Miss Baker is a Florida girl who is visiting the Armstrongs of Oakmont.

The Rev. David F. McGill of Chartiers street, Allegheny, returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse sailed from New York last Wednesday to spend the summer in travel abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Mason, Jr., and the latter's brother, John Marshall Lockhart, of North Highland avenue, have returned from California, where they went shortly after Christmas.

Accompanied by her children, Miss Rebecca, Miss Anna Churchman and James Jewett Turner, Jr., Mrs. James Jewett Turner of Wallingford street, returned yesterday morning from a week's stay at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City. Miss Rebecca Turner, who is a student at Miss Wright's Bryn Mawr school, will return east next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Larimer King of Center avenue, Shadyside, and their sons, John Millard and Gordon Cottart King, who have also been at Atlantic City, guests of the Dennis, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lowe are at Atlantic City for the Easter season, stopping at the New England.

Easter Sale in Bellefield.

An Easter sale will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the parlors of the Grace Reformed church, North Dithridge and Bayard streets, and will include home-made cakes, desserts, cold meats and other table delicacies. There will also be a table for the sale of common-sense articles. Among the women in charge are Mrs. P. J. Shafer, Mrs. I. K. Beckert, Mrs. T. Jr. Craig, Mrs. C. M. Gleffer, Mrs. John Straub, Mrs. Marie Anderson, Mrs. Anna Gleffer, Mrs. David Kinser, Mrs. Frank Freese, Mrs. J. H. Bair, Mrs. Peter Keil, Mrs. T. D. W. Helber, Mrs. Peter Kiecher, Mrs. Louise Siedle, Mrs. C. McKee, Mrs. J. H. Shucker, Mrs. Harry W. Gleffer, Mrs. J. E. Ash and Mrs. E. E. Rieck.

Keystone Bicycle Club Affairs.

The annual Easter dance of the Keystone Bicycle club will be given on Monday evening next in the club parlors in Howe street. On the following Monday evening, April 30, a reception and euchre will be given, which will end the series of entertainments for this season. The first of a series of five summer dances will be given in the cafe pavilion, Luna Park, on the opening night of the park, May 7. The amusement committee includes T. Morrison McKenna, chairman; Lewis McCoy, Oliver Curry, Erle Estep, Charles Walters and William Sloan. The officers of the organization are J. H. Blackburn, president; George Glassburn, secretary, and E. H. Flood, treasurer.

Entertainments of a Day.

Mrs. John H. Carlin of Graham street, entertained with a luncheon at McCreery's yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Guy Bates Post. The guest list also included Mrs. Thomas H. Carlin, Mrs. A. P. Moore, Mrs. Joseph K. Aiken, Mrs. Daniel B. Williams, Mrs. S. N. McClinton, Mrs. P. J. Keeling, Mrs. W. W. Keefer, Mrs. W. H. McKenna, Mrs. W. H. McManus and Miss Frick.

Miss Eva Anna Brown of Center avenue, Shadyside, who is to serve as maid of honor at the marriage of Miss Mildred Mary Andrews and Arthur Coe Martin, entertained the members of the bridal party and a few others last evening at "500."

Sale of Seats for "Shenandoah."

The seats for "Shenandoah," the war play to be given by local talent in Sewickley on April 19 and 20, were put on sale yesterday and the great number sold guarantees large attendances. Society people of the valley are in charge, and the cast includes several members of the old Sewickley Dramatic club. Special scenery is being painted. The proceeds are to be used to defray the cost of transporting from Boston four cannon used in the civil war, which are to be placed in the Sewickley cemetery.

Pre-Nuptial Affairs.

Mrs. Charles H. E. Snoop will entertain at luncheon this afternoon for Miss Helen Mary Elchey and the girls who will serve as attendants at her marriage to Edwin M. Bosworth next Tuesday. This evening the entire party will form a party at the Belasco theater. Tomorrow evening Miss Edith Harman Parker, the maid of honor, will entertain the party at dinner and bridge at her home in North Lang avenue. Preceding the rehearsal Monday evening Mr. Bosworth's sister, Miss Nell Bosworth, will give a dinner at the Fort Pitt hotel.

Reception for Bridal Party.

A pretty reception was given last evening by Miss Beatrice Rose at her home in Holland avenue, Braddock, in honor of the bridal party for the wedding of Miss Mabel Rachel Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen D. Mills, and L. Roscoe James, both of Braddock, next Tuesday evening. This evening there will be a reception at the Mills home and Saturday evening the members of the bridal party will be entertained at dinner by Miss Gertrude James, a sister of the prospective groom.

Thieves Call While Family Is Out.

During the absence of the family the home of George Sweeny, 272 Thirty-ninth street, was thoroughly ransacked by thieves Wednesday afternoon, and $24, a gold ring and a gold watch were stolen.

THE CLUBS

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Raise Money for Missions.

The annual meeting of the Allegheny Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Fifth church, Allegheny. Reports of the various committees and officers were read, including the treasurer's report, which showed receipts from different societies of the church amounting to $4,072 91 in the past six months. The disbursements were $3,853, leaving a net balance of $221 91 in the treasury. The annual report of the association manager was presented by Mrs. W. P. Price, who stated that the United Presbyterian hospital of Wilkinsburg, which is being built by the women of the church at a cost of $50,000, will be opened about May 15. Mrs. Price stated that when the building is ready for occupancy it will be free from debt. Miss Roberta Jones read an interesting paper on "Work Among Croatians in the Pittsburgh District," in which there are over 16,000 Croatians in a radius of 25 miles. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Mrs. Y. A. Henderson; first vice president, Mrs. R. L. Noble; second vice president, Mrs. Sarah Aul; recording secretary, Miss Jennie Wallace; statistical secretary, Miss Emma Mahon; corresponding secretary, Miss Eliza McHendry; treasurer, Mrs. George N. Paden; thank offering secretary, Mrs. J. G. Kennedy; literature secretary, Miss Welch; young women's work, Mrs. T. D. Mellon; junior secretary, Miss Martha Munroe. Luncheon was served in the Sabbath school room of the church by the ladies of the congregation immediately at the close of the afternoon session. The evening meeting consisted principally of music.

Movement for Anthony Memorial.

The first step in the movement to secure a statue of Miss Susan B. Anthony to be placed in Washington, D. C., was taken last evening by the Allegheny City Equal Rights association. Subscriptions were taken at the meeting, the first being given by Mrs. A. Starr Martin, president of the Equal Rights Association of Allegheny County. Sufficient money was pledged to make the preliminary arrangements, including the necessary printing, before the movement is placed before the public. A committee was appointed, composed of Miss Mathilda Orr Hays, who first suggested the idea of a national memorial to Miss Anthony; C. C. Latta and the Rev. Thomas Clayton. This committee will formulate plans and letters will be sent out to all the colleges, suffrage associations and other organizations, the appeal being intended to reach everybody. The contributions are to be voluntary. A local bank will be made trustee of the fund and the movement will become national in character. The local committee will keep in close touch with the officers of the National Suffrage association, and should it be deemed wise later for the national society to undertake the work the local effort will be merged into that of the national body. The Allegheny City association is considering a number of plans for raising money to push the new work it has taken up, among the suggestions being bazars and rummage sales. The meeting last evening was held at the home of Miss Hays in Forest avenue, Bellevue.

Delegates Leaving for Washington.

Delegates from the Pittsburgh Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will leave Sunday evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the 15th Continental congress, which will open on Monday, April 16. Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, the regent, who by virtue of her office is a delegate, left Wednesday evening, accompanying Miss Beulah Kennard to the convention of the National Playgrounds association. The Pittsburgh representation this year will be smaller than usual, consisting only of four delegates and two alternates beside Mrs. Ammon. The delegates who expect to leave Sunday evening are Mrs. Joseph W. Marsh, Mrs. W. W. Wishart, Mrs. Robert T. Reineman and Mrs. William McKelvy. The two alternates will be Mrs. Robert Carson, Jr., and Mrs. John H. Hillman. None of the Pittsburgh women have been appointed to any of the special committees for this congress. Mrs. Donald McLean, the president-general of the national society, however, is a favorite with a large majority of the local Daughters, and they are looking forward to her visit to Pittsburgh in June when she comes to be the guest of honor on Flag day, June 14. Mrs. McLean will remain in the city three or four days, and her visit will make a round of social affairs.

Thursday Club Holds Election.

Miss Emma McCracken was elected president of the Thursday afternoon club of Wilkinsburg yesterday at the annual meeting conducted in the home of Mrs. Robert Faris. A joint hostess with Mrs. Ferris was Miss Anna Carnart. The complete list of newly-elected officers includes the president, Miss Emma McCracken; first vice president, Miss Josepha Hamilton; second vice president, Mrs. W. J. Bremner; recording secretary, Miss Jennie Stewart; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary Golde; treasurer, Miss Charlotte Atkinson. The program committee announced that the new books will be ready very soon. Only in the country which will be studied next season. The club will not close the present season until May 24.

Delegate to National Playground Meeting

Miss Beulah Kennard left Wednesday evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the convention of the National Playgrounds association, which opened yesterday. Miss Kennard will remain in Washington throughout the meeting, which will close tomorrow, and will arrive home Sunday morning. The National association is composed of the various local organizations which carry on the summer playground, vacation school and recreation park work in different cities throughout the country.

Vaudeville at Church Home Fair.

Mrs. William R. Varker will have charge o fthe amusements at the annual Church Home fair to be given at the Episcopal church home, Penn avenue and Fortieth street, Thursday, May 3. She is planning a vaudeville entertainment to be given in the evening in which the performers will all be young men and women well-known in society. It will be an all-star cast, it is claimed, and the debutantes and girls of several seasons and the young men in the cotillion set in the East End will appear in new roles.

Reports Out Today.

The first annual report of the joint committee of women's clubs in charge of the summer playgrounds and vacation schools in Allegheny is out today. Accounts of the different playgrounds are presented in complete form, showing the extent of the work carried on in each locality. Numerous productions of photographs taken daily throughout the summer at the various schools enrich this first annual report. With the report is a circular letter issued to the private subscribers.

Will Entertain German Ambassador.

The Germanic society gave a tea yesterday afternoon in the Twentieth Century club house and Miss Bertha Meyer read a paper on "Contemporary German Writers." The next meeting will be held April 19, when Prof. Julius Goebel of Harvard will lecture on Faust. It is expected that the German ambassador will be in Pittsburgh at that time and will be the guest of the society.

New Exchange Is Opened.

The Each and All exchange announces its opening tomorrow at room 302 Whitfield building, Whitfield and Baum streets, East Liberty. Lingerie, infants' outfits, embroideries, candies and table delicacies will be displayed and orders can be given.

GREETS GERMAN VETERANS.

President Makes Felicitous Reference to Emperor's Part in Algeciras Conference.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Ambassador Speck von Sternburg of Germany this afternoon presented to President Roosevelt in the east room of the White House a delegation of about 50 officers, ex-soldiers and veterans of the German army. Many of them now are American citizens. They were accorded a cordial reception by the President.

The President embraced the opportunity to deliver a brief speech to his callers. In his remarks he made reference to the Algeciras conference, which recently was successfully concluded. He congratulated the emperor and the German people on the work accomplished at Algeciras, and expressed the belief that the result of the convention would be to render the more friendly the relations between the two mighty powers, Germany and France.

TO PROTECT MAJ. EDWARDS.

War Department Will Send Military Aid to Indian Agent on Umatilla Reservation.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—At the instance of the department of the interior the war department has taken steps to send whatever military force may be necessary to protect the Indian agent, Maj. O. C. Edwards, on the Umatilla agency in Oregon, from the Indians, who have threatened to do him bodily harm.

Orders were sent today to Brig.-Gen. Constant Williams, in command at Vancouver barracks, to send a reliable officer to Pendleton to investigate conditions at the agency, and if need be to send one or two troops of cavalry from the agency at Fort Walla Walla.

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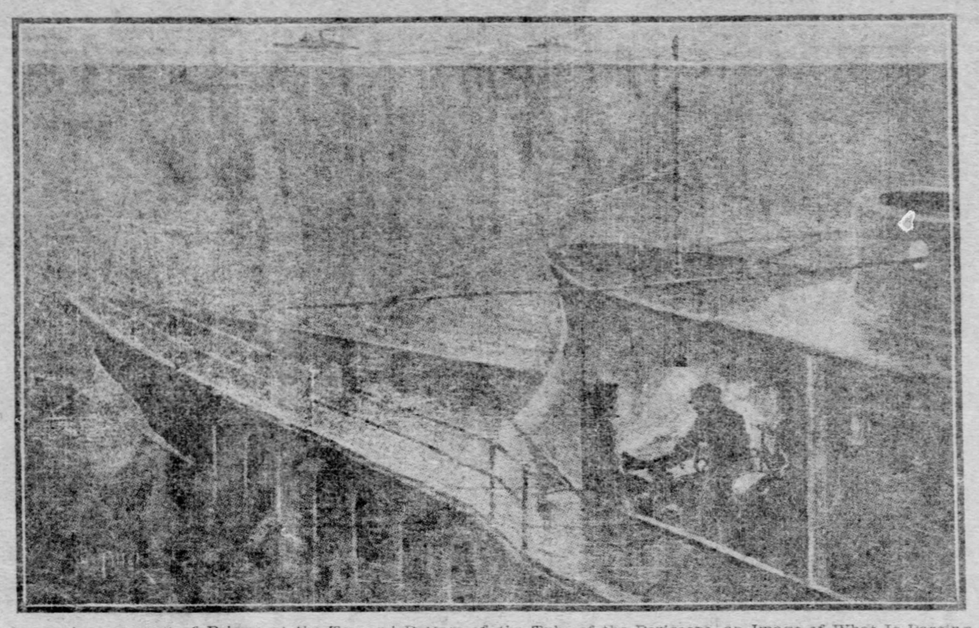

By an Arrangement of Prisms at the Top and Bottom of the Tube of the Periscope, an Image of What Is Passing Above the Surface Is Thrown Upon a White Boar in Front of the Steersman. The Only Part of the Submersible Above Water Is the Almost Invisible Top of the Periscope, but the Crew Under Water Have a Perfect View of Approaching Craft.

NEW BUILDING IS SOLD FOR $125,000

Ludwig Kaufmann Buys S. M. Willock Property at 636 Penn Avenue for Investment.

FIRST AVENUE SALE OF $45,000

A. A. DENNY.

Mr. Denny is a member of the real estate firm of J. M. Denny, at Homewood and Hamilton avenues. The firm has a large business in rents and sales throughout the Belmar, Homewood and Brushton districts and Mr. Denny is considered one of the best posted men on values in his vicinity.

John B. Fitzgibbon and Thomas J. Hawkins of the Real Estate Corporation have sold for S. M. Willock of the Waverly Oil Company to Ludwig Kaufmann, of Kaufmann Brothers, the new Willock block at 636 Penn avenue for $125,000 cash. Mr. Willock secured the lot last year and has just completed the building, which is one of the most substantial business structures in that locality. It is a six-story brick and steel building with a handsome terra cotta front and stands on 20x60 feet. The building is one of the mercantile type of store building which is becoming so common downtown and is equipped with plunger elevators and steam heat. A few weeks ago it was leased to the Columbia Phonograph Company for three years at an approximate rental of $7,500 a year, and this company will occupy the entire structure. The sale shows how profitable it is for investors to improve the lots on downtown streets with modern buildings to replace the old residences which have very little renting value and are a detriment to adjacent properties.

Mr. Fitzgibbon also sold for Max L. Blum to J. A. Arill 329 Stratford avenue, near Graham street, Twentieth ward, for $13,000. The house is a modern reception hall brick of ten rooms and two baths and stands on 40x100 feet.

Big Sale for First Avenue.

Through the office of C. C. Hamilton the property of Emma Gerlein at 112 and 114 First avenue, has been sold to R. O. DeCrow for $47,000 for an investment. It measures 35x70 feet on the south side of the avenue, between Ferry and Market streets, and the improvements consist of two old brick houses. These are rented for $2,400 a year. The price paid is at the rate of $1,343 a front foot, or $18.57 a square foot. This price is considered rather high in view of the figures which have recently been paid for lots with better improvements in the lower squares of First and Second avenues.

John H. and W. A. Dunlap have taken title to the two lots in Market street lately sold by the Lawyers Realty Company and Conrad Dietrich. The former lot, 20x60 feet, is at Market street and First avenue and brought $35,000. The adjoining lot, 40x60 feet, brought $80,000. The new owner has considerable property in the immediate neighborhood and has taken these two lots for an investment.

Israel Glick has bought from Michael Breen an improved property, 24x131 feet, on the south side of Forbes street, near Magee street, Sixth ward, for $14,000.

Look for Higher Values in Oakland.

The prospect of sub-dividing the former Clarke holdings at Forbes street and Craft avenue, Oakland, which Julian Kennedy has bought for $170,000, has awakened a lively interest in Forbes street holdings. Before Mr. Kennedy got his deed for the property he had declined offers of $500 a front foot for 100-foot blocks of inside frontage east of Craft avenue. Recent offers have been made of $600 and $800 a front foot a little farther east of this, and the last sale of business property in Forbes street was at the rate of over nearly $1,200 a front foot. Previous to the building of the Iroquois apartment hotel any lot in Forbes street, with perhaps two or three exceptions, could have been bought for $200 or $250 a front foot. Now it is freely predicted that $1,000 will be paid for frontage within a few squares of the Iroquois in either direction within two years. The rapid and almost sensational advance in East End realty values has caused brokers to wonder why Oakland, with its big residence district to draw from and more central locations for general business purposes, has not experienced a similar advance in realty values. Seven years ago property in East Liberty went begging at $500 and $700 a front foot. Now it is selling nearly as far down as Negley avenue at $2,000 a front foot and the best corners in Penn avenue are held strongly at from $4,000 to $5,000 a front foot. The East End boom continues and investors seem satisfied they are getting good values. Just why the buying boom has not spread to Oakland real estate is a cause for considerable wonder among real estate men, for the millions that are being invested there in improvements are enough, they say, to justify much higher values in prospect than the East End investor can hope for.

Will Build 20 Houses.

Hallett Brothers, who recently secured a large tract of frontage in Shady avenue, Squirrel Hill, in exchange for Bellevue flats, have decided to go ahead at once with the erection of at least 20 houses on the lots. The houses will be of the reception hall type, with solid brick walls and will contain eight and 10 rooms each. They will be finished below in hardwood and will cost from $6,000 to $8,000 each.

The new parochial school house which is being erected in Flavel street for the church of SS. Peter and Paul will probably be finished by June 1. The school building, a very handsome brick and stone structure designed by Architects Ernest & Hanselmann, will take the place of the building adjoining it on the Larimer avenue side, which was erected 50 years ago and has been used for school purposes 16 years, or since the United Presbyterian congregation gave it up. The structure will cost $60,000 and the site cost $18,000. The funds were raised chiefly through the efforts of the Rev. Father Joseph Suehr, rector of the parish.

The Wilkinsburg Real Estate & Trust Company by its agent, A. D. Harrison, sold for Mary N. Fisher to William B. Guay of Columbus, O., the former Hayes property at 210 Trenton avenue, Third ward, Wilkinsburg, a 10-room modern frame house on 52x220 feet with a stable in the rear, for $11,500 cash. The same broker sold for Henry F. Weaver to A. A. McCullough a vacant lot, 30x152 feet, in Rebecca avenue, near Pitt street, for $1,050.

Copeland street: The Samuel W. Black Company sold for Mrs. S. Mahon to J. R. Flanigan, 735 Copeland street, Twentieth ward, a modern eight-room brick house on 19x100 feet, for $4,900.

Minor Real Estate Deals.

Bellevue: The William Jenkinson Realty Company sold for S. W. Gault and W. W. Gifferr to Charles Bock of the R. & W. Jenkinson Company, lot 62 in the Sunnyside plan, 50x150 feet in Dawson avenue, near Sprague avenue, Bellevue, for $1,800.

Haights avenue: The Aronson Realty Company sold to Simon Fields of Cleveland a reception hall buff brick house on 38x118 feet in Haights avenue, near Stanton avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $8,500.

Sewickley: T. Leet Wilson, water assessor of Sewickley, has bought from the Fries estate 40x120 feet in Chestnut street, near Harbaugh street, Sewickley, for $2,000, as the site for a $10,000 house.

Allison avenue: Julius C. Debold sold to John B. Peden an improved lot, 20x90 feet, on the southwest corner of Allison avenue and Nimick street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $3,500.

Thirty-third street: The Fidelity Title and Trust Company sold to Frank H. Stegkemper 48x180 feet in Ruthven street, near Thirty-third street, Thirteenth ward, and 20x100 feet in Dickson street, same ward, for $4,000.

East End: Elizabeth S. Allison sold to John M. Morrison an improved lot, 33x92 feet, on the east side of East End avenue, near Junita street, Twenty-second ward, for $7,000.

Hazlewood: The Diamond Real Estate Company sold for the Provident Land Company to John A. Grey, lot 64 in Nanson street, Twenty-third ward, for $200.

The Pittsburgh Bureau of Building Inspection issued these permits yesterday: J. D. Mabold, four-story brick business block at Penn avenue and St. Clair street, Seventeenth ward, $39,000; Ruth Longanecker, two-story and attic brick dwelling in Von Lent place, Twentieth ward, $16,800; O. C. Siedle, two-story and attic brick veneered dwelling in Irwin avenue, near Shady avenue, Twenty-second ward, $8,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Jefferis, S W, to Anna E Kelly, April 2, 21st wd, Pgh, 50x125, Lake st.....$	6,500
Gfreorer, C, to Victor Ruth, March 13, 14th wd, Pgh, 20x120, Boquet st.....	3,400
Shipley, J, to W H Ireland, April 2, Carnegie, 50x120, Seventh ave.....	3,800
Anderson, O E, to Andrew Murphy, March 29, 21st wd, Pgh, 16x52, Walter avenue	4,900
Hughes, J G, to H D Martin, April 2, Wilkinsburg, 21x116, Franklin ave.....	4,000
Helwick, Mary, to Zuzanna Dembinski, April 5, 13th wd, Pgh, 25x120, Brereton avenue	6,800
Gottlieb, J, to Benjamin Leff, March 29, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Roberts st.....	4,475
McFadden, C, to H. J. Zionts, March 29, 17th wd, Pgh, 20x111, Porter st.....	5,700
Vilsack, E J, to A DeSimone, March 29, 21st wd, Pgh, 75x102 Larimer ave.....	24,500
Petty, R B, to Penna Door and Sash Co, Feb 1, 6th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Second ave	50,957
Morton, L, to F W Thomas, April 7, 2d wr, Ally, 24x57, Lamont st.....	2,250
Aronson, J H, to Abraham Wolfson, March 31, 8th wd, Pgh, 77x92, Colwell street	35,600
Frew, R J, to B G Merriman, April 7, 2d wd, Ally, 15x49, East Jefferson st..	2,150
Reuter, Henry, to Joseph Waag, April 5, 3rd wd, Ally, 21x44, Linden st.....	4,600
McKinsey, S M, to J S Cunningham, March 5, Patton twp, 10 acres.....	3,300
Luse, Olive, M J Simons, March 10, East McKeesport, 30x120, Florence ave	2,500
Hesley, W W, to C P Johnston, Feb 27, Turtle Creek, 61x151 Monroeville ave..	4,000
Lewis, Abraham, to Harry Lieber, March 16, 14th wd, Pgh, 20x90, Moultrie street	3,500
Thompson, A M, to E Petrescu, March 15, Turtle Creek, 30x64, Braddock ave..	2,500
Roberts, T P, to C T Schoen, March 27, 20th wd, Pgh, 50x125, Bayard st.....	26,000
Dravo, H K, to C F Baxmyer, March 19, West Liberty, 4 lots, Beach Plan.....	5,500
Vogt, J C, to same, Jan 15, West Liberty, 3 lots, Claeren Plan	4,000
Seanor, L A, to S Golden, Dec 26, 11th wd, Pgh, 22x70, Clark st	2,500
Hack, J K, to J J Werner, March 21, Millvale, 50x125, Butler Plank rd.....	10,000
McClure, F H, to Bon Air Land Co, March 1, West Liberty, 29x168, Edna avenue	4,250
Hafner, Bessie, to E J Matthews, March 30, 3rd wd, Pgh, 30x83 Herron ave....	4,000
Lucas, E N, to Jno Brennan, April 2, Braddock, 50x237, Holland ave.....	5,000
Moretsky, J, to J Gottlieb, March 30, 13th wd, Pgh, 15x48, Kirkpatrick st..	3,100
Holly, W J, to S K Anderson, March 29, Glassport, 25x110, Monon ave.....	2,100
Diffenderfer, S, to P G Jenks, March 1, 1st wd, Bellevue, 40x125, Stran ave..	8,500
Slater, J L, to H D Heinz, Jan 26, 4th wd, Ally, 23x100, Main st	2,000
Knoxville Land Impt Co to L Leutger, March 21, Oakmont, purpart No. 5, Pfiefer estate	1,000
Hemphill, Geo C, to L Hauerty, March 7, 23rd wd, Pgh, 25x120, Gladstone st..	1,700
Roberts, W A, to W P Mays, Feb 26, 14th wd, Pgh, 25x165, Juliet st.....	2,300
Wagner, A E to Chas Brucker, Feb 16, 21st wd, Pgh, 70x150, Lincoln ave.....	6,800
McHale, E A, to T J Butler, March 5, 23rd wd, Pgh, 20x102, Lydia st.....	2,800
Donaldson, M J, to Wm Deasy, March 10, 23rd wd, Pgh, 24x118, Glenwood ave	2,875
Parker, W J, to A E Griffiths, April 5, Avalon, 35x105, Harrison ave.....	5,500
Ward, Jno, to Joseph Firestone, Feb 24, 23rd wd, Pgh, 24x120, Second ave.....	3,000
Magee, Christopher, estate to M A Verner, Sept 20, 1903, 14th wd, Pgh, 40x400, Forbes st	150,000
Verner, M A, to Julian Kennedy, April 11, 14th wd, Pgh, 40x400, Forbes st..	170,000
Friend, C H, to J S Stephens, March 24, 35th wd, Pgh, 61x120, Oneida st....	3,000
Reed, J P, to Anne Hughes, Feb 1, 14th wd, Pgh, 16x73 Ophelia st.....	6,000
Morrow, D W, to W H Walter, April 5, Second wd, Ally, 20x120 Buena Vista street	5,000
Mulligan, E B, to M J McQuaide, March 29, 1st wd, Wilkinsburg, 60x90, Penn ave	1,120
Green, Geo M, to Sarah Williams, March 28, Sharpsburg, 24x120, Middle st....	2,400
Ritter, P J, to C L Saxton, April 19, Edgeworth, 30x127, Pine st.....	400
Herman, Chas, to G N Borgmann, March 31, 4th wd, Ally, 22 ft, Madison avenue	5,000

LICENSE COURT ENDS ITS HEARINGS TODAY

Wholesale Dealers Had Better Be Careful—Lively Testimony on Twelfth Ward Application.

With still one case to hear, the license court has come to its last day. This case is that of A. L. Brahm, whose alleged connection with several hotels has not yet been settled. Judge McClung created some consternation among the wholesale dealers yesterday by telling them the city authorities would furnish next year's court with the information about the sources of supply for houses of an improper character.

The hearing of Peter Walser, who has conducted a wholesale house at 2710 Penn avenue for 15 years, created a sensation. A remonstrance had been filed against him by James McCune, who charged him with having sold to speakeasies, peddled beer from his wagon to workingmen and to have sold to minors. The Anti-Saloon league is said to have refused to handle this remonstrance and it was represented by Attorney John F. Tim.

Attorney B. J. Jarrett represented the applicant and put up a strong fight for his client, claiming the remonstrance was brought at the instigation of Joseph Israel of 2913 Penn avenue, a new applicant for wholesale license from the Twelfth ward, who had conspired with other new applicants to have Walser's license revoked and so put him out of the business.

This alleged conspiracy was denied by the remonstrant, James McCune, who told the court he had pushed the investigation of Walser's business on his own initiative and had hired J. M. Williams to act as detective, paying him $35 for his services. He admitted Israel had given him $25 to secure an affidavit, but Israel had not instigated the investigation. He said he had pushed the remonstrance against Wilser because he conducted his place improperly, but yet it was always granted license.

Joseph Israel denied the allegation that he had instigated the remonstrance and said that he had only given the $25 when asked for it.

J. M. Williams testified that he had followed Walser's wagon out for days and that he had seen beer delivered to the speakeasies of Mrs. McManus and Mrs. Sullivan near Jones avenue and to another resort kept by Mrs. Hemp in Pride street. He also told of beer being sold from the wagon to men on the street, and produced photographs showing the alleged sales. Ann B-year old boy named Seifer was called and told how he had bought a bottle of whisky in the store.

Walser denied all the charges and produced his drivers and a number of other witnesses, who declared them to be false. Mrs. Hemp indignantly protested that her house was not a speakeasy, and Walser said he had never sold to the other houses mentioned. Walser also said he had never sold to the boy. When asked if he was sure of this he cried: "Do you think I could forget this face if I had once seen it?"

Holds Koval in $1,000 Bail.

Michael Koval, aged 24, who was arrested on suspicion of having taken part in a daylight robbery on First street, Braddock, which netted the thieves $25 and two valuable rings, was held for court by Justice Holtzman. Bail was fixed at $1,000.

Governor Coming to Homestead.

Gov. Pennypacker has accepted the invitation of the Homestead school board to be present on Founder's day at the C. M. Schwab Manual Training school.

THE THREE RIVERS

CINCINNATI, O., April 12.—(Special.)—At 6 p. m. today the stage of the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 27.2 feet and falling. Clear and warmer. Keystone State and Henry M. Stanley for Pittsburgh. The Iron Age arrived from Pittsburgh with a tow of coal and immediately took charge of a tow of empties and went back in order to meet the coming rise out of Pittsburgh with hopes of returning with a tow of coal before low water strikes here. The J. H. Lewis is due tomorrow from the Kanawha with a tow of coal and the Sam Clark will arrive from Pittsburgh.

MARIETTA—Eighteen feet six inches and rising. Clear. Virginia up; Queen City down.

STEUBENVILLE—Eighteen feet six inches and falling. Clear and cool. Up—Volunteer, Golden Rod.

GREENSBORO—Ten feet and falling. Fair and warmer.

GALLIPOLIS—Twenty-four feet and rising. Partly cloudy and warmer.

LOUISVILLE—In canal, 9.2; on falls, 7 feet; below locks, 26.2; falling. Clear, warmer.

OIL CITY—Six feet and falling. Clear and warmer.

PARKERSBURG—Seventeen feet and rising. Clear and warm. Queen City for Cincinnati, Virginia for Pittsburgh.

MORGANTOWN—Nine feet eight inches and falling. Weather clear.

WHEELING—Nineteen feet one inch, falling. Departed: Queen City, Cincinnati; Greenland, Lorena, Volunteer and Exporter for Pittsburgh.

Point Pleasant—Twenty feet and rising. Clear. Down—Kanawha, J. W. Lewis, Sam Clark. Up—Virginia, Tacoma.

LITTLE COAL MOVING.

Notwithstanding Good Stage But Few Boats Are Clearing Pittsburgh.

The stage of water at Davis island dam, at 9 o'clock last night, was 12.1 feet and the river was falling.

The river continues at a tow boat stage, but little coal is being shipped. The James Moren got away yesterday with 21 barges and three boats, but this was the only shipment south yesterday. The Rival is scheduled to follow with 12 barges and one model barge laden with nails and steel wire. The Peoples Coal Company will send out the Crescent with a tow of 17 boats and 10 barges. The Frank Gilmore may also get away this morning with a tow for the A. R. Budd Company.

The United States lighthouse tender Golden Rod will probably arrive in Pittsburgh today.

Col. John L. Vance, president of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, who spent a few days in Pittsburgh, left for the towns down the river in the interest of the association.

The Ben Hur arrived late yesterday, and left again for the south with a good cargo.

The Virginia, Capt. Pennywitt, is expected from Cincinnati this evening, and will leave tomorrow evening at 4 o'clock for the return trip.

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W. C. JUTTE'S STRANGE IDEAS

Wife Persuades Him Not to Attempt Suicide Because of His Horror of Hospitals.

UNPLEASANT TRIP TO EUROPE

Mrs. W. C. Jutte spent another day on the stand yesterday, telling of the vagaries of her husband, who later committed suicide. She was asked about his condition in May, 1902, when one of the Friend-Moffatt agreements was signed. Objection was made to the question, but Mrs. Jutte said she had no knowledge of an agreement being signed. One evening Mr. Jutte went home, and throwing himself on a lounge, exclaimed:

"They have had me once and they have me again."

Mrs. Jutte took her husband to Europe, advancing $15,000 of her own money for that purpose. While abroad, Jutte went from extreme penuriousness, refusing to give the children money to purchase food, to extravagance, purchasing diamonds and works of art. He would be very quiet at home, but when persons visited him he would brighten up. After they had gone he would say he had fooled them as to his mental condition, as he knew he was going insane. He threatened to jump off trains when going over bridges, but upon being told he would not kill himself, but only injure himself sufficiently to be sent to a hospital, he abandoned the idea, as he had a horror of hospitals. Mrs. Jutte admitted she was afraid of her husband. On one occasion she missed a revolver from its case, and made him return it, as she did a bottle of laudanum he had taken from the medicine chest.

Mrs. Jutte told of an attempt to get Jutte to change his life insurance policies so that his estate would be the beneficiary instead of his widow. Jutte told her he had refused to do this. Speaking of Jutte's drinking Mrs. Jutte said he drank heavily for three months and then quit because her mother, for whom he had great respect, noticed his condition one day. She declared he commenced to drink because Mr. Hoffstot advised him in kindness "to tank up and sleep off his nervousness."

On cross examination Mrs. Jutte denied receiving two checks, one for $70,000 and another for $50,000, from her husband in November, 1901. The trial will continue today.

Married Another Woman.

Chave Greensburg sues Abraham Kahn for $10,000 for breach of promise, alleging Kahn married another woman on the day fixed for his marriage to the plaintiff.

Edith Spangler sues Loftis & Co., jewelers, for $20,000 damages for false arr

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S. V. THOMPSON CO., 300 Times bldg.

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COMPLETE dental outfit for sale with good established practice of the late Dr. J. R. Garman, three rooms and bath; rent $22. Call and see. 7101 Frankstown ave., corner Lang. H. C. Murto.

FOR SALE—Two-story storeroom with finished basement, few miles from Pittsburgh, in bustling town; excellent place for a general store; bargain for quick buyer. Address Box 48, Claysville, Pa.

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY store in city; old established business; sales $200 week; rent $35 month with living rooms. Price $1,100.
CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

ALLEGHENY PATRONS who find it inconvenient to call at main office with their Sunday want ads can leave them at any drug store in Allegheny City at office rates.

FOR SALE—For sale or half interest in patent suspension cable bridge anchor; merits fully tested; correspondence solicited. S. S. Jacob, Wisdom, Mass.

FOR SALE—The leading boarding house in a city of 35,000 inhabitants; present proprietor getting married. Address T 66, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—A printing office that will invoice $1,000. Call or write 4210 Penn ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

Machinery.

WATER TUBE BOILERS.
At special prices for immediate sale.
2 250-H. P. Heine, 140 3½" tubes.
2 300-H. P. B. & W., 160 4" tubes.
Also,
4 60"x16' H. T. Boilers, with stokers, etc.
We have in stock for prompt shipment:
1 66"x18' horizontal tubular boiler.
1 66"x17' horizontal tubular boiler.
2 66"x16' horizontal tubular boilers.
2 60"x16' horizontal tubular boilers.
Also upright tubular boilers, all sizes.
Engines, pumps, heaters, etc.
WICKES BROTHERS,
Forty-fifth st. and A. V. R. R., Pittsburgh, Pa.
Both 'phones.

CENTRIFUGAL pumps, belt and engine drivers, steam engines and boilers from 4 to 60 H. P.; derricks and derrick fittings, dump buckets and general contractors' machinery.
THOS. CARLIN'S SONS CO.,
1600 River Ave., Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

Brownell Steam Engines and Boilers.
Warren Gas and Gasoline Engines.
Fairbanks-Morse Gas and Gasoline Engines.
Fairbanks-Morse Dynamos and Motors.
Fairbanks-Morse Steam Pumps.
Brooks Centrifugal Pumps.
Cold Rolled Steel Shafting, Hangers, etc.
TRANTER MANUFACTURING CO.,
105 Water st.

FOR SALE—All kinds second-hand machinery and boilers, rails and constructors' equipment; wanted, scrap iron in any quantity.
HIRSCH & PFLAMM,
South ave. and Walker st., Allegheny.
Bell 'phone 1478 Cedar.

FOOS GAS ENGINES.
We will move April 1 to 114 Market st., with Howe Scale Co. Telephone Court 424.
FOOS GAS ENGINE COMPANY,
135 First ave.

GAS ENGINE. GASOLINE.
Marine and Stationary. Any type.
THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY. 218 2d ave.

Horses and Vehicles.

$90—DOCTOR will sell handsome fast trotting and perfectly reliable family horse, Baron Standard bred, 15½ hands, aged 6 years. Bay in color, weight 1,100 lbs., long tail, completely built, smooth, round turned animal, fine, clean limbs, sound, solid feet and attractive appearance, showed private trial on Belmont track last summer to speed wagon in 2:15. Was never in any races, so has no official record. A very valuable animal for track, speedway or general family use. Guaranteed sound, gentle and reliable under all circumstances, and for a perfect family horse has no superior. Safe for ladies or most timid person to drive at speed and trot full mile in 2:20 or no sale; allow 20 days' trial to test soundness and driving qualities to purchaser's own satisfaction. Also $90 will buy a large pair coach mares, bays in color 6 and 7 years, perfectly sound, weight about 1,200 lbs. apiece, would make elegant pair of farm mares as they have been tried to all kinds of farm work. I have used them this past year with a great deal of satisfaction; will sell separate for $45 each; also farm harness and stable utensils will be given with the horses, as I have no further use for them. Also at half value, Brewster & Co. rubber tired brougham, handsome rubber tired cut-under, fashionable rubber tired runabout, elegant harness all equal to new, sell separately at any reasonable offer; my only reason for selling is because I am getting an automobile. Positively no horse dealers need apply. Call Charles W. Meyers, 1617 Market st., Philadelphia, Pa.

ROCKAWAY or station wagon; good as new; plate glass adjustable sash, speaking tube, leather upholstering, mahogany finish; latest design; will sell at low figure. Inquire owner, 902 Arrott bldg. 'Phones Bell 1257 Court and P. & A. 2745 Main.

STYLISH TURNOUT.
At low price, horse, runabout, harness, etc. Will pay you to investigate. Houston Hill, 5021 Hayard st., Pittsburgh, and 314 River ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—A rare bargain in a high-grade speed road wagon, in No. 1 condition; seats two; price $400. Call or address 814 Fulton bldg., city.

FOR SALE.

Miscellaneous.

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SECOND-HAND bath tub and one end two-bowl marble wash stands; also new marble wash stands below cost. Weldon & Kelly Co., 305 Wood st.

FOR SALE—Fancy second-hand garments; ladies' and gents' (private house). J. Wald, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

STEEL restaurant range, boiler, portable oven, coffee urn, below cost. Weldon & Kelly Co., 305 Wood st.

LOT of second-hand building brick. John Eichleay, Jr. Co., South Twentieth and Wharton sts.

COFFEE MILLS, Elgin; quality high, prices low. "The Standard" Scales, 243-245 Water st.

BAR FIXTURES, billiard tables, desks, safes. DELP'S, Fourth and Liberty.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—Any person desiring to find the best place in three cities for the cleaning and dyeing of ladies' and gentlemen's felt and straw hats, or for the cleaning, dyeing and curling of ostrich plumes, is respectfully directed to Wm. Grabowsky, 707 Penn ave. Telephone 2070. This is the best place because service is strictly up to the minute and price most reasonable.

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PERSONAL—Ladies and gentlemen, cash paid for cast-off clothing. Address Gassel, 2229 Fifth ave. Bell 'phone 939-J Grant; P. & A. 891-M.

CASH PAID FOR CAST-OFF GARMENTS, LADIES' AND GENTS'. WRITE J. WALD, 1841 WEBSTER AVE. P. & A. PHONE 3251-M.

RELIABLE WATCH REPAIRING—We pay cash for old gold. CHRIST. HAUCH, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

WANTED—Experienced shoe saleswomen. Apply at once to the W. M. Laird Co., 404-6-8 Market st.

HAVE your lawn mowers ground and repaired by Axheim Mfg. Co., 243 Third ave. Bell 851 Court.

MISS HOWER, manicuring and shampooing, 110 Federal st., Allegheny. Second floor.

WE do locksmithing. Axheim Mfg Co., 243 Third ave. Bell 851 Court.

CALL Bell phone 3340 W. Grant. Pittsburgh Carpet Cleaning Co.

PROPOSALS.

SEWERS.

Edgeworth, Pa.

Sealed proposals for approximately 14,000 lineal feet of 12-inch to 26-inch sewers and appurtenances will be received by the borough council, borough of Edgeworth, Pennsylvania, until 10 o'clock a. m., the 5th day of May, 1906.

All bids must be made on the form of proposals furnished by the borough council and accompanied by a certified check for a sum equal to five (5%) per cent of the amount of the bid.

A surety company bond for an amount equal to fifty (50%) per cent of the bid will be required. The borough council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Plans and specifications may be seen, bidding forms obtained, and sealed proposals left at the offices of the engineers, Elliott & Baton, Keystone building, Pittsburgh, Pa.
E. P. LORD, President.
FLEMING NEVIN, Secretary.

TRANSFER AND STORAGE.

PEOPLES TRANSFER AND STORAGE CO.,
1667-69-71 CENTER AVE.,
P. & A. PHONE 1010 MAIN.
Don't sacrifice your goods when moving, store with us and we will sell them for you, under your directions. 20,000 square feet of floor space. We store furniture, fixtures, carriages, wagons, safes, machinery, and all descriptions of merchandise.
WILL STABLE YOUR HORSES—50 MODERN SANITARY STALLS.
For the months of April, May and June our charges will be one-half of the usual storage prices.

THE CITY TRANSFER CO.
GENERAL HAULING AND MOVING.
Hoisting and rigging done on all kinds of work; hauling freight to and from all depots.
A. HARLEY,
517 First avenue.
Bell 2760-F Court. P. & A., 2232 Main.

DIVIDENDS.

THE CENTRAL DISTRICT & PRINTING TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
Pittsburgh, Pa., April 12, 1906.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company have today declared a dividend of TWO (2) PER CENT on the capital stock, payable on the 20th inst. to stockholders of record at the close of business on the 23rd inst. Transfer books will be closed on Monday evening, April 23, 1906, and remain closed until May 1, 1906. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.
J. G. STOAKES,
Secretary.

MEETINGS.

SOUTH SIDE TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 26, 1906.
MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the South Side Trust Company of Pittsburgh will be held at the office of the company, Fifth avenue and Cherry alley, on Thursday, April 19, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before the meeting.
GEORGE KIRCH, Secretary.

LOST.

LOST—White poodle dog, answering name "Tobie;" $10 reward and no questions asked, for return to J. L. Slater, 710 Mellon st.

LOST—Bar pin, amethyst settings, on Dithridge st., near Bayard. Suitable reward if returned to 246 Dithridge st.

LOST—Friday, April 6, French bulldog; reward if returned to 500 Shady ave., East End.

FOUND.

FOUND—The ONLY place in Greater Pittsburgh for having men's and women's straw and felt hats cleaned and dyed; also the ONLY place for having ostrich plumes cleaned, dyed and curled. Where? Wm. Grabowsky's, 707 Penn ave. Why the ONLY place? Because the service is positively the very best and because prices are positively the very lowest.

FOUND—Pocketbook containing sum of money. Call 449 Campbell street, Wilkinsburg, 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. R. S. Berkebile.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE of stocks, on Tuesday, April 17, 1906, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., at the offices of the undersigned, rooms 204 and 205 Germania Savings Bank building, there will be sold for account of whom it may concern, 150 shares stock of Union Trust Company, Washington, Pa. Geo. Johnston, auctioneer.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS.

SLOAN TYPEWRITING BUREAU.
Any Stenographic or Typing proposition. Multi-Typing; cheaper and quicker than printing.
309 4th Ave. Room 307. Court 1674.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

PERKINS' UNION DETECTIVE AGENCY, 321 Fourth ave. Telephones. Private exchange.

BERRY DETECTIVE SERVICE, 423 Fifth ave. Bell telephone Grant 643.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

FOR SALE—One, two and three man stone, suitable for foundation and building purposes. Address Conemaugh Stone Co., West Winfield, Pa.

SPECIAL.

DR. McGIFFIN, DENTIST, 1113 Federal st., Allegheny; 25 years' experience.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Noall, deceased, late of North Braddock, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Michael Noall, administrator, Spring street, North Braddock, Pa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

L. C. BARTON, Attorney, suite 462 Frick Building Annex, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Adjourned receiver's sale. The undersigned receiver of the Kittanning & Cowanshannock Valley Street Railway Company, a corporation under the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, duly appointed by the circuit court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, at No. 3, May term, 1906, will Friday, May 4, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the court house, Pittsburgh, Pa., sell at public vendure or outcry, all the rights and franchises of the said Kittanning & Cowanshannock Valley Street Railway Company. Said corporation was chartered December 13, 1901, duly recorded in Armstrong county, Pa., for railway (electric or otherwise) from Kittanning, Armstrong county, Pa.; thence eastwardly through Greendale, Yatesboro and Rural Valley to Meredith, twelve (12) miles, a direct line; seven (7) miles stone work and culverts completed, also practically six (6) miles grading, including immense horse shoe curves. Capital stock, $75,000; about $40,000 rights of way deeds recorded in Armstrong county, probably twelve (12) rights of way yet needed, will cost not over $3,000; rights granted by ordinance of boroughs of Kittanning and Rural Valley, and franchises granted by supervisors of Cowanshannock and Valley townships. Terms—Cash on approval of sale, 10 per cent payable at time of sale. A. A. Ross, auctioneer, 216 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Walter Morris, receiver, 216 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOSIAH COHEN, Attorney-at-Law. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, April 17, 1906, by Aaron Waldhelm, Leo Lehman and David May, under the act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "May, Stern and Company," the character and object of which is the conducting a store or stores in the buying, selling, trading and dealing at wholesale and retail in furniture, stoves, carpets, rugs, curtains and house furnishing goods, and for this purpose to have and posses and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of assembly and its supplements. Josiah Cohen, solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 7th day of May, 1906, by Andrew Sweeney, Thomas A. McKeever and J. W. Price, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto

STOCKS LESS ACTIVE, CLOSING SLIGHTLY LOWER

Call Loan Rates Ranged Between 10 and 4 Per Cent—More Gold Engaged for New York. Local Stock Market Extremely Dull.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The range for call loans on the New York stock exchange yesterday was between 10 and 4 per cent, with an average of about 8 per cent. These rates were so much below those current earlier in the week that Wall street entertained hopes that the worst of the monetary stringency was over. This hope was strengthened by the report that $1,000,000 additional gold had been obtained in London for shipment to New York. The stock market, however, was less active, the total sales falling under 700,000 shares and prices closed slightly lower.

The weekly statements of the foreign banks had more interest for New York than usual on account of the events in the money market during the week. The Bank of England reported a decrease of $11,350,000 in gold bullion, and a contraction of a like amount in loans. The percentage of reserve to liability, which last week was 45.28 per cent, fell to 44.10 per cent, and in that respect the statement was looked upon as unfavorable. The Bank of France gained $6,750,000 gold during the week and reduced loans to the extent of $1,610,000. Foreign discounts were reported a little easier, and the London market for American securities was firmer.

The New York stock market opened fairly steady at about the level of the previous night's close, but there was little if any improvement on initial prices. With the easing of the money rate and the removal of apprehension on this score people who had bought stocks earlier in the week for the purpose of supporting the market took advantage of the better sentiment to sell, and this selling checked bullish enthusiasm. Commission houses were advising against any extensive commitments on the long side until the outlook for money is clearer. They pointed out that the rates for carrying stocks this month are likely to rule above 6 per cent, and that these high rates will discourage bull pools. Offerings of time money also continued light, and Wall street houses are naturally opposed to loading up with time loans at current rates.

Union Pacific and Reading were the most active of the railroad lists, and the last named made a strong rally to 133½. In the late trading it lost all the gain and closed unchanged for the day. Pennsylvania closed ⅜ and Baltimore & Ohio ⅜ per cent lower. The decline was thought to be influenced by the announcement that the anthracite miners had made a counter proposition to the operators and that the conference had adjourned subject to the call of the chairman, without being any nearer a settlement than before.

The strong rally in wheat, which closed about 1½ cents higher, may have had some influence upon the granger stocks, all of which closed fractionally lower, with the exception of Illinois Central. However, even the grain speculators did not take any stock in the reports that the Hessian fly was doing damage in some parts of the wheat fields of Nebraska. While the railroad list closed lowed than on Wednesday, the changes were so slight as to be without significance.

The United States Steel stocks held fairly steady throughout the greater part of the session, but each closed ¼ lower. Amalgamated Copper was quiet and closed ⅝ lower. Anaconda Copper closed 1¼ and Smelting 1¼ lower.

The action of the governors of the New York stock exchange in deciding not to observe Good Friday as a holiday was variously commented upon. Some traders were inclined to construe it as bearish, while others thought the action was prompted by a desire to prevent any further flurry in the money market. If the exchange remained closed today, loans negotiated yesterday would run to Monday, and New York banks have already demonstrated their readiness to take advantage of borrowers by exacting rates which are a disgrace to any well regulated money market.

The tone of the local stock market was firmer, but trading was extremely dull. Out of a total of 6,378 shares handled 4,685 shares consisted of Cable Consolidated, which declined 10 and closed at 70c. For the first day in weeks there were no transactions in Ohio Tonopah, which was nominally quoted at 42@43c. Tonopah Extension was slightly higher at 10⅜. The strongest stock on the list was Crucible Steel preferred, which advanced to and closed at 89¼. The common was a fraction higher at 15. United States Steel stocks were entirely neglected. Independent Brewing preferred was strong, advancing to 42. Pittsburgh Brewing preferred was firm, selling at par. Pittsburgh Coal preferred declined to 58, but closed at 58⅜ bid, a loss of $1 a share. There were no transactions in the common or in River Coal preferred. Pittsburgh Oil and Gas was weak, selling at 44, a decline of 4 per cent from the last previous sale. Manufacturers Light and Heat was a fraction higher at 39⅜. Westinghouse Air Brake rallied to 153 and Electric to 80½. Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone bonds were a fraction higher at 83.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

60 Mfrs. L. & H.. 39¼ | 100 Crucible pfd.... 79¾
20 do.... 39½ | 50 P. Brew. pfd... 50
100 Cable Consol... .74 | 10 Ind. Brew. pfd. 41½
100 do.... .74 | 100 do.... 41½
50 Crucible pfd... 79¾ | $2000 P. & A. T. 5s.. 83
50 do.... 79¾ | 5 Guar. T. & Tr.185
5 do.... 79¾ | 5 P. Brew. com.. 29¼
100 do.... 79¾

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

200 Cable Consol... .73 | 47 Ohio Fuel..... 35½
100 do.... .73 | 15 P. Brew. com... 29¾
10 P. Coal pfd.... 58½ | 1 R. Estate Tr...225

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

100 Crucible pfd.... 79¾ | 50 Ohio Fuel..... 35½
10 P. Coal pfd.... 55 | 20 Crucible com... 15
6 Ohio Fuel..... 35½

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

10 W. Airbrake...153 | 44 Electric 2ds.... 80
15 P. Plate Glass.115 | 3 Ohio Fuel..... 35½
5 do.... 115 | 16 W. Penn pfd... 77¼
100 Crucible pfd.... 80 | 2 Un. Switch cm.. 86
25 do.... 79¾ | 100 Cable Consol... .72
5 do.... 80 | 300 do.... .72
20 P. Brew. com.. 29½

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

100 Nat. Glass com 3 | 500 Cable Consol... .70
100 Cable Consol... .73 | 20 P. Brew. pfd... 50
200 do.... .72 | 10 Mfrs. L. & H... 39¾

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

20 Crucible pfd... 80 | 10 P. Oil & Gas... 44
20 do.... 80 | 10 do.... 44
15 do.... 80½ | 5 do.... 44
50 do.... 80½ | 500 Cable Consol... .70
20 Monon. Water.. 38 | 50 do.... .70
7 do.... 38 | 200 do.... .70
50 Ind. Brew. pfd. 42 | 500 do.... .70
40 W. Airbrake...153 | 100 do.... .70
10 P. Brew. com.. 29½ | 300 do.... .70
2 U. S. St. pfd... 100 | 100 do.... .70
10 Fireproof. pfd.. 26½ | 50 do.... .70
5 Crucible com.... 15 | 200 do.... .70
100 Tonopah Ext... 10⅜ | 85 do.... .70
100 Marsden..... 2½ | 400 do.... .70
25 Electric 2ds.... 80½ | 100 do.... .70
40 P. Oil & Gas.. 44

Summary.

STOCKS. Sales.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	C'ge.
4685 Cable Consol.....	.74	.70	.70	—.03
24 Crucible Steel.....	15	15	15	+ ¼
640 Do preferred.....	80½	78½	80½	+ ⅝
10 Fire Proof. pfd..	26½	26½	26½	0
100 Ind. Brew. pfd.....	42	41½	42	+ ½
100 Nat. Glass com.....	3	3	3	0
100 Ohio Fuel.....	35½	35½	35½	— ½
25 Monon. Water.....	38	38	38	+ ½
99 Mfrs. L. & H.....	39¾	39¼	39¾	+ ⅛
100 Marsden.....	2½	2½	2½	0
50 Pitts. Brewing.....	29½	29¼	29¼	0
30 Do preferred.....	50	50	50	0
20 Pitts. Coal pfd.....	58½	58	58	— ½
65 Pitts. Oil & Gas....	44	44	44	— 4
25 Pitts. Plate Glass..	115	115	115	+ 2
100 Tonopah Ext.....	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
2 Union Switch com.	86	86	86	+ 2
3 U. S. Steel pfd.....	108	108	108	+ 1
50 West. Airbrake.....	153	152	153	+ 1
69 West. Elec. 2ds.....	80½	80	80½	+ 1
16 West Penn pfd.....	77¼	77¼	77¼	+ ¼
BANKS.				
5 Guarantee T. & T..	185	185	185	0
1 Real Estate Trust..	225	225	225	0
6378				
BONDS.				
$3000 P. & A. Tel ..5s....	83	83	83	+ ½

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Allegheny Nat., Pittsburgh...	50	146	165
Bank of Pittsburgh.....	50	160	172
Diamond National.....	100	410	....
Farmers Deposit National....	100	1200	1275
Fifth Avenue Bank.....	50	82	....
Fidelity Title & Trust.....	100	....	550
Guarantee Title & Trust.....	100	186	187
Iron City Trust.....	100	150	....
Marine National.....	100	....	150
Metropolitan National.....	100	....	190
Monongahela National.....	100	206	....
Real Estate Trust.....	100	....	225
Second National, Pittsburgh..	100	....	255
Traders & Mechanics.....	50	80	....
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe.....	100	33⅞	34½
Cable Con.....	1	.68	.70
Consolidated Ice.....	50	7¾	....
Do preferred.....	50	37½	....
Crucible Steel.....	100	14¾	15
Do preferred.....	100	89¼	....
Harbison-Walke Co.....	100	11	....
Independent Brewing.....	50	13½	....
Do preferred.....	50	41¾	....
Manufacturers Light & Heat.	50	39¼	39⅜
Marsden.....	100	2¾	....
Monongahela River Coal.....	50	8	....
Do preferred.....	50	23	....
National Glass pfd.....	50	24¼	....
National Fire Proofing pfd...	50	26½	28½
Ohio Fuel Supply.....	25	35½	....
Ohio Tonopah Mining.....	1	42	.43
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas.....	100	40	44
Pittsburgh Brewing.....	50	29¼	29⅝
Do preferred.....	50	49⅝	50
Pittsburgh Coal.....	100	15	....
Do preferred.....	100	58⅜	59
Pittsburgh Plate Glass.....	100	114½	....
Tonopah Extension Mining....	1	10¼	10⅜
Union Copper.....	100	66½	67
United States Glass.....	100	59	....
United States Steel.....	100	....	42½
Do preferred.....	100	....	108
Westinghouse Electric.....	50	80½	82
Westinghouse Airbrake.....	50	152½	153
West Penn Rys.....	100	23	....
Do preferred.....	100	76½	78
BONDS.			
American Sewer Pipe 6s.....	....	101½	102
Consolidated Gas 5s.....	....	108½	....
Monongahela L. & P. 5s.....	....	....	104⅜
Monongahela River Coal 6s...	....	....	110
North Side Bridge 6s.....	....	97	....
P. & A. Tel. 5s.....	....	82½	....
Pitts., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s..	....	104⅜	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s.....	....	....	115
West Penn Rys. 5s.....	....	....	100
National Glass 6s.....	....	93½	....

Unlisted Securities.

(Reported by George W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas.....	50	52
Union Natural Gas.....	107½	....
Fayette County Gas.....	96	....
Pure Oil.....	7¼	....
Dominion Gas.....	60	70½
Rock Run Fuel Gas.....	....	45
Window Glass Machine common..	....	6
Window Glass Machine preferred..	....	15
National Union Fire Insurance ..	150	....
Pennsylvania Fuel.....	....	62
Denver Bullfrog.....	1.50	1.55
Stewart Creek Mining Co.....	....	62
Coast Range Mining Co.....	....	.35
Red Rock Mining Co.....	....	.57
Golden Anchor Mining Co.....	1.60	1.62
Black Hills Copper (Ariz.).....	.30	.35
Jim Butler.....	1.25	....
Mingus Mountain Mining Co.....	.20	....
Gipsy Queen.....	.23	.25
Tonopah Home.....	.27	.30
BONDS.		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s.....	....	95
*Union Steel 5s.....	99¼	100
*Ohio Valley Water 5s.....	....	98½

SALES.

50 shares Black Hills Copper ..... .33
200 shares Big O'Brien ..... .43
500 shares Bullfrog Eclipse 1.00
900 shares Golden Anchor Mining Co.... 1.00
90 shares Golden Anchor Mining Co.... 1.05
600 shares Golden Anchor Mining Co.... 1.00
1060 shares Denver Bullfrog 1.55

*And interest.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Fluctuations in sterling exchange the past two days have been even more violent than those in call loan rates. On Wednesday demand bills were at one time quoted as low as $482.90. Yesterday the rate was rushed up 175 points to $484.65. The suddenness and violence of this movement is probably without precedent in the New York market. Discounts in London hardened appreciably and conditions moved distinctly away from the position, which offered a command by New York of the Bank of England supply of British gold coin. An important relief of the local banking houses has been secured by the larger transfer of speculative holdings of stocks in New York, the payment of loans on collateral, the purchase of stocks in London and reborrowing in that market. It is supposed that bank loans in New York have been reduced many million dollars by this process during the week.

The increase in the pension payments has reduced the sub-treasury's absorption from the New York banks for the week to a nominal figure. The announced policy of the secretary of the treasury to deposit the current excess of government receipts over the expenditures with national banks at various points relieves the New York banks from some of the demand upon them from the interior.

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STOCKS. Sales.	Open	High	Low	Closing Bids.
27400 A., T. & S. F....	83¾	85⅝	83	85
100 Do preferred.....	100	100	100	100
800 Am. Cotton Oil.....	34¼	34½	33⅞	34
1900 Am. Sugar Refg..	136⅝	138⅝	136⅝	138
1600 Am. Locomotive..	68¾	68¾	68	68
1500 Am. Car Fdy.....	44¼	44¾	43⅝	44⅜
99000 Amal. Copper.....	111	111⅝	110¼	110½
32800 Anaconda Copper..	271⅞	273½	271	271
17100 Am. Sm. & Refg..	155¼	159¼	158	158
700 Do preferred.....	121	121	120	120
Am. Woolen.....	42¼	42½	42¼	42¾
Do preferred.....	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
2209 B. & O.....	113½	113⅝	112⅝	112⅝
100 Do preferred.....	94½	94½	94½	94½
29600 B. Rapid Transit..	88¾	87⅞	86¾	87¼
500 Canadian Pacific..	173½	173½	172⅝	173⅝
3800 Central Leather....	44¾	45	44⅜	44⅞
2100 C. & G. W.....	21⅝	21¾	21	21
32300 Consolidated Gas..	143¾	143¾	140	140¼
100 C. C. C. & S. L..	....	....	....	....
2700 C. & O.....	58⅞	59	58⅝	58⅝
300 C. & A.....	....	....	....	....
Do preferred.....	76	76½	76	78½
200 C. & N. W.....	....	....	....	....
7100 C. F. & Iron.....	61¾	62¾	61¾	61⅞
1900 Corn Product.....	26½	26⅝	26	26
400 Do preferred.....	83	83	82¾	83
1300 Col. Southern.....	34⅜	34¾	34¼	34⅝
2100 Do 1st pfd.....	70	70	70	70
300 Do 2d pfd.....	49	49½	49	49¼
500 Del. & Hudson.....	211½	212	210¼	211
9600 Erie.....	45⅞	45⅞	44½	44½
700 Do 1st pfd.....	78¼	78½	78¼	78½
200 Do 2d pfd.....	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
300 Gen. Electric.....	171	171	170	170
1100 Hocking Valley....	128¾	128½	126¾	128⅝
3600 Illinois Central....	173¾	176¼	174½	175
100 Iowa Central.....	30⅝	30⅝	30⅜	30⅝
200 Do preferred.....	....	....	....	....
500 Inter. Paper.....	22¾	22¾	22¼	22¼
8700 L. & N.....	149¼	149½	148½	148½
200 Manhattan.....	155¼	155¾	155	155
500 Mo. Pacific.....	96	96	95¾	96⅛
300 M., K. & T.....	24⅝	24⅝	24½	24½
500 Do preferred.....	72¾	72¾	72¼	72¼
1000 Mexican Central....	25¼	25½	25¼	25⅜
2000 National Lead.....	83¼	83⅝	83	83
National Biscuit...	65½	65½	65½	65½
N. Y. Airbrake.....	150	150	150	150
400 N. Y. Central.....	143¾	143¾	142	143
3400 N. Y., O. & W.....	53¾	53⅞	52	52⅜
1500 Norfolk & W.....	89¾	89¾	89½	89½
5100 Northern Pacific..	215⅝	215⅝	217¼	215¼
300 Peoples Gas.....	95	95	94¾	94¾
200 Pr. Steel Car.....	53⅝	53⅝	53⅛	53½
100 Do preferred.....	....	....	....	....
18400 Penna. R. R.....	141¼	141½	140⅞	140⅞
Pgh. Coal	14¼	14¾	14¼	14¼
Do preferred.....	56	59	56	59
Ry. Springs.....	56	56	55½	55½
115900 Reading	138	139½	137½	137⅝
200 Do 1st pfd.....	....	....	....	....
100 Do 2d pfd.....	....	....	....	....
500 Rock Island.....	27⅝	27⅞	27¼	27⅜
1600 Do preferred.....	66	66⅛	66⅛	66⅛
200 Republic Iron.....	31	31	30⅜	30⅝
5900 Southern Pacific..	68¾	69	67⅝	68⅛
4900 Southern Ry.....	40⅝	40⅝	40	40⅛
200 Do preferred.....	100	100	100	100
8200 St. Paul	176¾	177⅜	175⅞	176¼
1000 St. L. & S'w.....	23½	24	23¾	24
100 Do preferred.....	57	57	57	57
300 Tenn. Coal & Iron	149¾	149½	149½	149½
200 Tex. & Pacific..	33⅞	33⅞	33⅜	33½
100 Tol., St. L. & W.....	....	....	....	....
300 Do preferred.....	....	....	....	....
45900 U. S. Steel.....	42½	42⅝	42¼	42¼
18900 Do preferred.....	108¼	108½	107⅜	107⅝
Do 2s 5% bonds.	99⅝	99¾	99⅝	99¾
114700 Union Pacific.....	156⅝	156⅞	155¾	155⅞
200 Do preferred.....	....	....	....	....
1100 U. S. Rubber.....	52⅜	52⅝	51¾	52¼
1100 Do preferred.....	....	....	....	....
U. S. C. I. Pipe...	51⅝	52¼	51½	51⅝
Do preferred.....	94	94	93½	93½
1700 U. S. R. & Cons...	88	88	87⅜	87⅝
200 Wabash	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝
200 W. U. Telegraph..	92	92	92	92
W. & L. E. 2d pf.	27	27	26½	26½
100 Wis. Central.....	27½	27½	27½	27½
100 Do preferred.....	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
Fed. M. & S. pfd.	104	104½	104	104½
1400 Sloss.....	52½	54¾	51⅝	53⅝
2600 Am. Dist. Corp..	59½	59⅞	59½	59⅝
Nickel Plate.....	69	69	69	69
Gt. North. pfd.	221½	222	220	220

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1100 Am. Sti. Fds.....	....	12¾	12	12
400 Do preferred.....	....	46½	46½	46½
400 Allis-Chalmers ...	....	21¾	21	21
100 Do preferred.....	....	67½	67½	67½
200 Am. Ag. Chem.....	....	27	27	27
200 Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜
100 Am. Malt.....	....	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
1200 Do preferred.....	....	29½	28⅞	29
900 Am. Wool.....	....	42¼	42¼	42¼
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100 Am. Tob. pfd. new	....	104¾	104¾	104¾
100 At. Coast Line....	....	154	152½	152½
200 Do preferred.....	....	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
200 Chicago Ltg. Trac.	....	6	6	6
400 Do pfd. rights...	....	18⅝	18	18⅛
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(Sales in $1,000.)

5 Am Tob 5s..... 79½
6 do..... 79¾
10 A. Arbor 1st 4s. 95
10 do..... 96
6 Atch cv 4s..... 103½
10 do..... 103⅝
10 do..... 103½
2 Atch 4s..... 101⅝
5 do..... 101⅝
10 do..... 101⅝
15 do..... 101¾
5 A C L 4s..... 99½
24 B & O 3½s..... 94⅝
5 B & O S W 3½s 80⅜
2 B R T cv 4s..... 87½
40 do..... 88
11 Bkn Un El 1st 106
10 Can So 1st..... 102¼
15 Cen Ga 3d Inc.. 58
5 C R I P R R 5s. 91
5 C R I P ref 4s.. 84⅝
10 Col In 5s, A.... 77½
10 Col So 4s..... 84½
19 Ga cv 6s..... 145½
30 do..... 145
500 Do preferred..... 125½
11 Dis. Sec Cor 5s. 86
40 do..... 87⅛
16 Jap 6s..... 97⅞
12 do..... 98
5 Jap 6s 2ds..... 98
5 Jap 4½s..... 93¾
10 do..... 92⅞
20 do..... 92⅝
8 do..... 92⅞
24 Jap 4½s, new 2s 91¾
26 do..... 91¾
Total, $2,506,500.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

American Tin Can.. 8¾	Seaboard Air Line. 29
Do preferred..... 64	Do preferred..... 58
Electric Vehicle... 10	Standard Oil..... 623
Do preferred..... 15	Tenn. Copper..... 46½
Green Con. Copper 38⅝	Tonopah 10½
Interborough 228	Bethlehem Steel.... 28
Int. Mer. Mar..... 12	Do preferred..... 85
Do preferred..... 51¼	Greene Gold 2⅞
International Salt. 32½	United Copper..... 67⅛
Do 5s..... 69	Do preferred..... 95
Otis Elevator..... 51	Greene Gold-Silver 2¾
Do preferred..... 100	

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison 93	Am. Sugar pfd..... 137½
Do preferred..... 102¼	Am. Tel. & Tel.... 128
Boston & Albany..... 247	Am. Woolen..... 42
Boston Elevated...156¾	Do preferred..... 84
Fitchburg pfd.....144	Dom. Iron & Steel. 32½
Mexican Central..... 25¼	Mass Gas..... 97½
N. Y. N. H. & H..193½	United Fruit..... 108
Union Pacific..... 156⅜	United Shoe Mach. 32½
Am. Arpe. Chem.. 27	Do preferred..... 57½
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Am. Pneu. Tube... 26	Do preferred..... 107¾
American Sugar...135½	
Bid. Asked.	

Government Bond Quotations.

(Reported by Scully, Painter & Beech.)

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Prev. day. Bid.	Ask.
U. S. 2s reg., 1930.....	103⅜	104	103⅜	104
U. S. 2s coup, 1930.....	103⅜	104	103⅜	104
U. S. 3s reg., 1908.....	103¼	104	103¼	104
U. S. 3s coup., 1908 ...	104	104¾	104	104¾
U. S. 3s, small bonds..	104	....	103	....
U. S. 4s reg., 1907.....	103½	104	103½	104
U. S. 4s coup., 1907...	103½	104	103½	104
U. S. 4s reg., 1925.....	131¾	132½	131	132½
U. S. 4s coup., 1925.....	131¾	132½	131¾	132¼
Dist. of Columbia, 3.65s.	116	....	116	....
Philippine 4s, 1914-34...	110¼	111½	110¼	111¼

Philadelphia Stocks.

(Reported by Childs & Childs.)

STOCKS.	High	Low	Last Bid
Cambria Steel	36¼	35⅞	36⅛
Electric Company of America.	11½	11½	11½
Lehigh Valley	77¾	77	77
Phila. Rapid Transit.....	28	27¾	27¾
Phila. Electric Company.....	8	7 15-16	7¾
Union Traction	62¾	62¾	62

In the Oil fields.

In the Keener pool, on Point Pleasant Creek, Tyler county, West Virginia, the wells are holding up creditably. The production of each as shown by the last gauge was as follows: Southern Oil Company Nos. 1 and 2 R. A. Workman, 198 and 200 barrels, respectively; Lincoln Oil Company No. 1 W. L. Workman, 200 barrels; Urquhart & Co. No. 1 Mary Glendenning, 85 barrels; Fisher Oil Company No. 1 W. F. Clark, 70 barrels, and the Melrose Oil and Gas Company's No.

EGGS SHOW WEAKNESS BECAUSE OF SUPPLY

Liberty Street Merchants Enjoying Brisk Trade—Canned Goods Are Firm.

There were fewer changes noticed on the market yesterday than for some time past. This is due probably to the good business enjoyed by all the merchants along the line. This made the competition less keen. The pretty weather of the past few days has made business in the wholesale district better than for months past.

One of the noticeable things in the wholesale district is the demand for planting seeds of all kinds. This seems to imply that home grown vegetables of all kinds will be in the market before the summer is over, and that they will be cheap at all times.

Eggs are weaker again, notwithstanding the demand for Easter consumption. Western markets are easier, and the weakness in that section is being felt here already. It is predicted that a fall of at least 2 cents a dozen will be the result of the supply from all over the United States being so good.

Every staple continues strong. Not for many years back have prices been maintained until so late in the season, and the prospects are that no changes will be made in many of them for at least 60 days. Canned goods of all kinds promise to be stiff during the summer, and the new vegetables of all kinds will not effect them, as they will be held over for the coming winter demand.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 8 hay, 11 oats, 3 corn, 2 feed, 1 rye; Baltimore & Ohio, 2 oats, 1 hay; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 hay, 1 oats, 1 corn, 1 rye.

While receipts of hay were heavier yesterday, the quality was not good, consequently the prices still remain firm. The demand continues to absorb all arrivals. Grain is in light receipt and the market is firm.

No. 1 timothy	$14.25@14.75
No. 2	$13.50@14.00
No. 1 clover	$10.75@11.25
No. 2 clover	$9.75@10.25
No. 1 mixed	$11.75@12.25
No. 2 mixed	$10.75@11.25
Straw, oat	$6.75@7.25
do wheat	$6.75@7.25
do rye	$8.50@8.75
No. 2 white oats	36½@37c
No. 3 white oats	35½@36½c
No. 4 oats	34½@35c
No. 1 middlings	$21.50@22.50
No. 2 middlings	$21.00@21.50
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$20.25@20.75
Wheat, No. 1 red, new at mill	80@83c
Corn—New yellow shelled	52½@53c
New high mixed car	52@53c
New yellow car	54½@55½c
No. 2 Michigan rye	72@73c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.05
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C.	$1.50@2.05
do California, Y. F.	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.50
do standard	90@95c
Cherries, California white	52.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.25@1.40
do soaked	75@80c
String beans 2-lb	65@70c
do 3-lb	90@95c
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.60
Peas, marrowfat	80@90c
do early June	75@90c
do soaked	55@65c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y. gal cans	$2.10@2.75
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.

Prints	24½@25c
Tubs	23½@24c
Ohio cream	21@22c
Dairy	15@16c
Cooking	14@15c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	14@14½c
Ohio full cream	14@14½c
do ½ cream	13@13½c
do picnics	15@15½c
do Phila. cream	16@16½c
doz.	90c@$1.00
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
do block	15@16c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limburger, new	13½@14c
do 5-lb brick, new	14@14½c
do Neufachtel large box	90c@$1.00
do Sheford, box	35c
Eggs, selected	17@18c
do southern	17@18c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens	15@16c
do roosters	12@12c
Turkeys	18@20c
Geese	10@11c
Ducks	16@16c
Pigeons, doz	$1.00@1.15
Dressed hens	17½@18c
do springers	19@20c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	25@27c
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.10@2.00
do canvas-back	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$6.25

GROCERIES.

Flour.

Fancy spg. Minn. pat	$4.00@4.45
Kansas pat	$4.55@4.60
Fancy winter patent	$4.25@4.30
Rye	$2.85@3.00
Buckwheat	$2.40@2.60
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.00@2.10
Cornmeal, bags	$3.10@3.20
Rolled oats, bbl	$4.20
do kegs	$2.75
Oil, carbon, 150 deg	12c
do water white	10c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	12½c
do Elaine	15c
Miners' oil, special brands	25@42c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6½@7c
do fancy Japan	4½@5c
do choice Carolina	5½@6c
Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.10
do No. 1 extra	$1.20
do gran. rock	$3.50
do pocket	$1.65@2.10
do dairy	$1.40
Lentils, fancy "S.-O." lb	4½@5½c
Sauerkraut, 60-gal rusk	$7.50@8.00
do 15-gal keg	$3.50@3.75
do bbls	$8.50@9.00
Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb	17@18c
do choice	15@16c
do buckwheat	15@16c
Bermuda onions	$3.25@3.50

PRODUCE.

Potatoes	50@55c
New potatoes, bbls	$5.00@6.00
do bu	$1.75@2.00
Seed potatoes, early Rose, bbls	$4.25@4.50
do bus	$1.00@1.10
Early Ohios, bbls	$4.25@4.50
do bus	$1.00@1.10
Onions, yellow Danvers, bbls	$2.50@3.00
do bbls	$1.75@1.80
Bermuda onions, crates	$2.75@3.00
Silver skins, bbls	$3.50@4.00
do bu	$1.50@1.75
Valencia, crate	$3.50@4.00
do Spanish, crates	$1.15@1.25
Cabbage, G. S., bbls	$3.00@3.25
do pound	2½@3c
Green onions, do	15@20c
Onion sets, bu, Ky. and O.	$1.50@2.00
do Erie	$3.00@3.25
Green peppers, crate	$2.50@3.00
California celery, crate	$6.00@6.50
do doz	85@90c
Florida celery, crate	$3.25@3.50
do doz	70@90c
Endive, bbl	$6.50@7.50
Escarall	$4.50@6.00
Lettuce, bskt	85@40c
Eggplant, crates	$3.50@4.00
Head lettuce, bbl	$5.00@7.75
do hampers	$1.25@2.25
Spinach, bskt	60@75c
do bbls	$1.75@2.50
Spring spinach, doz	60@75c
Asparagus, Cal., bunches	50@75c
do Jersey	$3.00@9.00
Rutabagas, bbls	$1.00@1.15
Kale, bbl	75c@$1.00
Eggplant, crt	$2.00@3.50
Garlic, lb	8@10c
Watercress, doz	30@40c
Cauliflower, Cal. crates	$4.00@4.50
Carrots, bbls	$2.25@2.50
do bus	$1.00@1.25
Cucumbers, Boston, doz	$1.75@2.00
Turnips, bbl	$1.50@2.50
do bu	60@75c
Beets, bbl	$2.50@2.75
do bu	75@85c
New beets, doz	35@40c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Mint, doz	50@55c
Parsley, doz	25@35c
Parsnips, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Horseradish	$5.00@6.00
Brussels sprouts, quarts	15@18c
Radishes, doz	30@40c
Shallots	60@75c
Strawberries, qt	30@40c
Rhubarb, doz	65@75c
Green beans, bu	$3.00@3.50
New peas, bu	$4.00@5.00
New cabbage, crates	$2.50@2.75
New carrots, doz	65@75c

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy	$6.50@7.00
Other fancy	$6.00@6.50
do choice	$4.50@5.00
do California, box	$2.50@3.50
Lemons, Messinas, fancy	$3.50@4.00
do choice	$3.00@3.25
Oranges, Florida	$4.00@4.50
California seedlings	$2.00@2.50
Naval	$3.50@4.00
Cocoanuts, do doz	4@50c
Bananas, 1sts	$1.75@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.25
Pineapples, smooth, Cayenne	$4.00@4.50
Red Spanish	$4.00@4.50
Limes, per 100	$2.00@2.50
Dates, stuffed	10c
Figs, California, box	90c@$1.00
Layer, lb	10@20c
Grapes, California, bbl	$5.00@6.50
do fancy	$6.00@7.00
Grape fruit, Florida	$6.00@7.50

FIELD SEEDS.

No. 1 red clover, recleaned, bu	$2.30
No. 1 white clover, lawn, bu	$8.75
No. 1 Alsike clover, bu	$8.50
Strictly prime timothy, bu	$1.55
Fancy Kentucky blue grass, bu	$1.70
Fancy orchard grass, bu	$1.75
Fancy red top, lawn, bu	$1.10
Recleaned alfalfa	$8.75
Fancy lawn grass, lb	15c
Crimson clover, bu	$6.50
Southern German millet, bu	$1.25

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs	8@9½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb	10@12½c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg	7½@7¾c
do fancy	11@12c
Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	16@11½c
Cleaned currants, 1-lb pkgs	8½@9c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.

18 lbs and up	13¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	12¼c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	12¼c
10 lbs and under	12¼c
Skinned	13½c
Boneless bolled	15c
California	8½c
Shoulders, N. Y.	9¼c
do skinned	10c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12c
do back stripe	11¼c
do cleare, 8 to 10 lbs	13c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12½c

Breakfast bacon, back stripe | 11½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears | 9½c
Bellies, 10 to 12 lbs | 10c
do 12 to 22 lbs | 10½c
do under 16 lbs | 10½c
Dry salt smoked sides extra short clears | 8¾c
Bellies, 10 to 25 lbs | 11c
do 16 to 20 lbs | 11¼c
do under 16 lbs | 11½c
Lard, pure, tierces | 9c

NUTS.

New California walnuts, lb	17c
Chestnuts, Italian, lb	7@8c
Hickory nuts, bu	$1.75@2.00
Walnuts, bu	50@75c
English walnuts, lb	12@15c
Butternuts, bu	$1.25@1.50
Hazelnuts, lb	11@12c
Almonds, lb	14@15c
Pecans, lb	11@12c
Shellbarks, bu	$2.00@2.25

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu	60@75c
Cabbage, G. S., ton	$45.00@50.00
Florida celery, crate	$3.00@3.25
Apples, Fancy, bbl	$5.50@6.00
Choice, bbl	$4.50@5.00
Onions, bbl	$1.50@1.60
do bu	40@50c
Cal. celery	$3.00@3.50

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs	11c
Light steers No. 1	11½c
Cows, all weights	11c
Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs	9c
Calf, green side, No. 2	10c
do No. 1	12c

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Thursday, April 12, 1906.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady. Choice, 1,300 to 1,600 lbs., $5 40@5 60; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $5 15@5 35; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 90@5 10; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 60@4 85; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $4 00@4 40; common, 700 to 800 lbs., $3 50@4 00; good choice heifers, $4 00@4 40; common to fair heifers, $2 50@3 75; common to good fat bulls, $3 00@4 25; good fresh cows and springers, $35@60; common to fair, $20@30.

Sheep and lambs—Supply fair and market steady. Prime wethers, $5 to 100 lbs., $4 95@5 15; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $4 60@4 90; fair mixed, 75 to 85 lbs., $4 00@4 40; culls and common, $2 50@3 00; veal calves, $6 50@6 75; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50; lambs, $4 50@5 25; spring lambs, $10 00 and $12 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 loads. Market steady. Prime heavy, medium and heavy Yorkers, $5 70@5 75; light Yorkers, $5 60@5 65; pigs, $5 40@5 60; roughs, $5 50@5 60; stags, $4 00@4 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, April 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000, including 400 southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 30@5 40; fair to good, $4 25@5 25; western fed steers, $3 75@5 25; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 00; southern steers, $3 75@5 00; southern cows, $2 50@4 00; native cows, $2 50@4 00; native heifers, $3 50@5 00; bulls, $2 90@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,500; market strong, slow; top, $5 45; bulk of sales, $5 30@5 42½; heavy, $5 40@5 45; packers, $5 30@5 42½; pigs and lights, $5 25@5 40.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,600; market strong and active; native lambs, $5 00@6 50; western lambs, $5 00@6 50; ewes and yearlings, $4 50@6 00; western fed sheep, $5 00@6 25; stockers and feeders, $4 50@5 90.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 53 head, all consigned direct; nothing doing in cattle; nominally steady. Dressed beef in fair demand at 6¼@8½c per pound for common to choice native sides. Exports, 12 head cattle and 191 head sheep. Calves—Receipts, none, and nothing doing; feeling steady; dressed calves firm; city dressed veals, 7¼@12c per pound; country dressed, 6@9½c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,253; sheep steady; lambs slow and unchanged; spring lambs firm; clipped butchers' sheep, $4 62½; clipped export wethers, $5 20; unshorn lambs, $6 75; clipped do, $5 20@5 37½; spring lambs, $3 00@6 00 per head. Hogs—Receipts, 444 head; none for sale; feeling steady.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000 head; market steady; common to prime steers, $4 00@6 40; cows, $2 25@4 60; heifers, $2 75@5 00; bulls, $2 60@4 65; calves, $3 75@6 10; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 75. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; market steady; choice to prime heavy, $5 50@5 60; medium to good heavy, $5 45@5 50; butcher weights, $5 45@5 55; good to choice heavy mixed, $5 45@5 50; packing, $5 30@5 47½. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000 head; market dull; sheep, $4 25@5 50; yearlings $5 00@6 25; lambs, $4 75@6 65.

CINCINNATI, April 12.—Hogs strong; butchers and shippers, $5 60@5 65; common, $5 25@5 40. Cattle steady; fair to good shippers, $4 25@5 15; common, $2 25@3 90. Sheep steady at $3 50@5 75; lambs steady at $4 50@7 00.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The drygoods market today was generally firm with increased business in print cloths, bleached goods and brown cottons, and a continued scarcity in white goods. The market on worsteds and woolens was steady.

BIG ADVANCE IS MADE IN PRICES OF WHEAT

Trading Exceptionally Good and Broad During the Entire Day on Chicago Market.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 12.—Wheat prices on the local market advanced nearly 2 cents a bushel today on an active general demand for that cereal. A report that foreigners were buying American wheat and strength of cash grain at various other markets in this country were the main influences in causing the upturn. At the close the May option showed a net gain of 1¼@1¾c. Corn was up ½c. Oats were ½c higher. Provisions were 5c to 10c lower.

The wheat market was strong from start to finish and trading was exceptionally active and broad. Demand was general throughout the day with shorts the best buyers. At the start the market was influenced by statistics showing a material decrease in shipments of wheat from Argentina, the total movement for the week being 2,744,000 bushels, compared with 4,320,000 bushels the preceding week. A smaller movement in the American northwest also stimulated demand early in the session. As trading advanced additional bullish news was received.

A report from New York said wheat had been sold there today for shipment to Liverpool, and advices from Minneapolis told of a sharp advance in the price of cash wheat there, following an urgent demand by millers. There were also reports from the southwest, claiming damage to the fall sown crop, one message from Omaha telling of the appearance of insects in the wheat fields of Western Nebraska. During the day local longs took advantage of the advancing prices to sell freely, but all offerings were readily taken and, while prices eased off at times the tendency was toward still higher prices.

The market closed strong with prices almost at the highest point of the day. May opened unchanged to ⅛c higher, at 79c to 79⅛c, advanced to 80⅝c and closed at 80⅛@80⅜c. July sold between 75½c and 75¾@80c and closed at 79⅜@79¾c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 66,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 578,000 bushels, compared with 288,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 211 cars, against 308 cars last week and 223 cars one year ago.

Firmness prevailed in the corn market all day. Shorts and commission houses were active bidders for the cereal, but offerings were not large. The opening of lake navigation, predictions of wet weather in the corn belt and small local receipts were factors that inspired the buying. The market closed firm, May opened ⅛c to ¼c higher, at 46⅝c to 46¾c, sold up to 47c and closed at 46¾@46⅞c. Local receipts were 110 cars, with one of contract grade.

Oats were strong in sympathy with wheat and corn. Official predictions of rain for the oats-growing states also had a stimulating effect on the market. The buying was of good character, shorts, cash interests and commission houses being active on that side of the market. May opened unchanged to a shade lower, at 31⅞@32c, advanced to 32½c and closed at 32½c. Local receipts were 99 cars.

Provisions were dull and inclined to weakness. Despite a 5c advance in the price of live hogs there was moderate profit-taking by local packers and this served to weaken values. The activity in the grain pits detracted from trading in provisions. At the close July pork was off 10c at $16 95, July lard was down 5c at $8 80, July ribs were 10 lower at $8 80.

Estimated receipts for Saturday are: Wheat, 5 cars; corn, 158 cars; oats, 171 cars; hogs, 17,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT.					
May	79¼	80⅝	79	80⅝	79
July	78¾	80	78½	79¾	78½
September	77⅞	79	77⅝	78⅞	77⅝
CORN.					
May	46⅝	47	46¼	46⅞	46⅜
July	46⅜	46⅝	46⅛	46¼	46⅛
September	46⅞	47	46½	46⅝	45⅞
OATS.					
May	32	32⅝	32	32½	32
July	30⅝	31⅝	30⅝	31¼	30⅝
September	29⅜	30	29½	30	29½
MESS PORK.					
May	16 25	16 25	16 00	16 07½	16 22½
July	16 30	16 32½	16 17½	16 20	16 30
September				16 17½	16 30
LARD.					
May	$ 70	$ 70	$ 62½	$ 65	$ 70
July	$ 85	$ 85	$ 75	$ 80	$ 85
September	$ 97½	$ 97½	$ 87½	$ 90	$ 97½

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 5,822. Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1,876. Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 12,456.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 14@20½c; dairies, 14@18c. Eggs—Weak; at mark, cases included, 14½c; firsts, 14½c; prime firsts, 15½c; extras, 17c. Cheese—Steady, 11½@13½c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—Butter—Steady; extra western creamery, 21c; do nearby prints, 22c. Eggs—Nearby fresh, 18c at mark; western fresh, 18c at mark. Cheese—Firm; New York full creams, fancy 13½@14c; choice, 12½@13½c; fair to good, 12½@13c.

Pig Iron Quotations.

NEW YORK, April 12.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 1:45 o'clock call on the Produce exchange:

	Regular. Bid.	Regular. Ask.	Foundry. Bid.	Foundry. Ask.	Stnd. Fdy. Bid.	Stnd. Fdy. Ask.
April	16.25	.....	16.25	.....	17.25	.....
May	16.25	.....	16.25	.....	17.25	.....
June	16.25	.....	.....	.....	17.25	.....
October	15.25	.....	.....	.....	17.25	.....

Market dull.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The merger of the Mary McKinney and Anaconda properties in the Cripple Creek district has been effected. The consolidation, which is a $3,000,000 merger, was to prevent the bringing of a suit by the Mary McKinney people against the Anaconda on the grounds of apex rights, claiming that the Anaconda company was taking ore from several veins extending from the Anaconda ground into the McKinney territory.

F. Augustus Heinze is busy in Butte at present. His latest enterprise, according to information circulated yesterday, is the purchase of control of the Old Blue Bird Company's property, three miles west of Butte, which has not been operated by the company since 1895. The ore is silver-gold, but the main workings are said to contain copper. The Blue Bird was an English corporation.

A dispatch from Cobalt, Ont., says: Negotiations are about completed for the sale of the Nova Scotia mine to a syndicate composed of James A. Ogilvie and J. A. Jacobs of Montreal, Mr. Currie of Toronto, Mr. Clark, son of Hamilton, and F. Maclaren of Stratford and Mr. Steindler of New York. The deed of sale has not been signed, as it hangs upon the determination of values of the ores yet to be made. The sum is in the neighborhood of $400,000.

The Homestake Mining Company has declared the usual monthly dividend of 50 cents a share, payable April 25.

The smelter of the Pittsburgh and Montana Copper Company will shut down on Saturday for an indefinite period. No cause is assigned except trouble with ore furnace. The operation of the mines will be continued and the product probably shipped to one of the custom smelters.

Representatives of the General Electric Company have been in Butte the past week examining the copper properties. They report that the company is seeking copper mines with the object of supplying a portion at least of its own needs. The report is current that an offer has been made for a controlling interest in the East Butte Company. The report is discredited by the Boston directors of the General Electric Company. One of the directors says: "I have not heard that the General Electric Company intends to enter the Butte camp and do not believe there is any truth in it."

The new pump which was recently installed in the Tonopah Home shaft is working in good order, and the shaft has reached a depth of 350 feet. Some white quartz has been encountered, a very good indication, and it seems it will only be a reasonable length of time until substantial ore bodies will be encountered.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The London tin market was higher today, more than regaining the partial setback of yesterday with spot quoted at £176 5s and futures at £172. Locally the market was also higher with spot closing at $28.55@28.75. Copper was unchanged at £84 17s 6d for spot and £81 17s 6d for futures in London market. Locally the market was also unchanged with lake quoted at $18.50@18.75; electrolytic, $18.25@18.50 and casting at $18.00@18.25. Lead was quiet and unchanged at 4s 5¾@4s 6 in the local market and at £16 18s 9d in London. Spelter advanced 2s 6d in the English market with spot closed at £25 5s. Locally Spelter was dull and unchanged at $5.00@6.10. Iron was higher in the English market with standard foundry and Cleveland warrants both quoted at 48s. Locally iron was steady. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $18.50@19.50; No. 2 foundry northern, $18.00@18.50; No. 1 foundry southern, $18.25@18.75; No. 2 foundry southern, $17.75@18.50.

LONDON, April 12.—Copper was firm today and closed at £84 17s 6d. Six hundred tons were sold. Tin was strong and closed at £176 5s. Over 500 tons were sold.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open	High	Low	Closing. Bid.	Closing. Ask.
Adventure	....	....	....	7½	7¾
Ahmeek	....	....	....	78	84
Allouez	39½	39¾	39	39	40
Arcadian	....	....	....	3¾	4¼
Atlantic	20½	20½	20½	20½	21
Bingham	39½	39¾	39¼	39	39½
Boston Consol	23½	23¾	23½	23¼	23¾
Black Mountain	....	....	....	12¼	13½
Butte Exploration	....	....	....	4	4½
Butte & London	....	....	....	2¼	2¾
Calumet & Hecla	700	700	700	695	700
Centennial	26	26	26	26	28
Daly West	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	16
East Butte	....	....	....	11½	12
Elm River	2¼	2¼	2¼	2	2¾
Franklin	18¾	18¾	18¾	18½	18¾
Granby	13	13	13	12¾	13
Greene	31	31½	31	30¾	31
Isle Royale	23	23	23	22	23
Keweenaw	....	....	....	12	13½
Mass	3½	3½	3½	3½	3¾
Michigan	....	....	....	13½	14
Mitchell	....	....	....	11½	12
Mohawk	61	61	61	61	61½
Nevada Consols	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
North Butte	34½	34¾	34½	34½	34¾
Old Colony	....	....	....	1	1¼
Old Dominion	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¼	44½
Osceola	105	105	104¾	104	104¾
Parrot	39	39½	39	38	39
Phoenix	....	....	....	....	1
Calaklala	....	....	....	14¾	15
Quincy	99½	99½	99½	98½	100
Range Consol	80¾	81	80½	80¾	81
Raven	....	....	....	2¼	2½
Rhode Island	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¾
Tamarack	....	....	....	100	105
Trinity	....	....	....	15½	16
Utah Consolidated	11¾	11¾	11¾	11½	11¾
Do preferred	67¾	68	67¾	67	67¾
Utah	....	....	....	96	100
Utah Apex	65¾	68¾	63	63¾	64¾
U. S. Mining	61	61	60¾	60¼	60½
Victoria	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	9
Wolverine	132	138	127	127	135
Winona	....	....	....	2¾	3¼

BISBEE MINING STOCKS.

Arizona Comb	....	....	....	31⅜	32
Cal. & Arizona	....	....	....	117	120
Cal. & Pgh	....	....	....	96	96¼
Junction	....	....	....	25½	26
L. S. & Pgh	....	....	....	4	4¼
Pgh. & Duluth	....	....	....	21½	22
Shoshone Cons	....	....	....	16¼	17½

BOSTON, April 12.—The market opened this morning with a fair amount of buying in the coppers, but money rates were at once lifted to 10 per cent or higher and the market quickly lost its snap. All through the afternoon things were very dull and prices gradually sagged. The money market will not be straightened out for at least two weeks and we advise people who are carrying stocks on margin to sell them out and save their little interest charges by buying back whenever the market is weak.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	.25	Little Chief	.07¼
Alice	3.25	Ontario	2.75
Breece	.35	Ophir	.75
Brunswick Con	.07	Phoenix	.04
Comstock Tunnel	.21	Potosi	.12
Con. Cal. & Va	1.35	Savage	.25
Horn Silver	2.60	Sierra Nevada	.25
Iron Silver	5.25	Small Hopes	.30
Leadville Con	.03	Standard	2.90

*Offered.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Futures closed quiet and steady; April, 11.18c; May, 11.28c; June, 11.29c; July, 11.18c; August, 11.02c; September, 10.71c; October, 10.59c; November, 10.58c; December, 10.62c; January, 10.62c. Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 11.80c; middling gulf, 12.06c; sales, none. Estimated receipts at the ports today, 11,000 bales, against 15,816 bales last week, and 22,732 bales last year. For the week 105,000 bales, against 116,822 bales last week and 171,816 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 3,100 bales, against 6,362 bales last year, and at Houston, 2,626 bales, against 5,468 bales last year.

LIVERPOOL, April 12.—Cotton spot in fair demand; prices eight points lower; American middlings fair at 6.86d; good middlings, 6.26d; middling, 6.16d; low middlings, 6.00d; good ordinary, 5.82d; ordinary, 5.52d. The sales of the day were 16,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,900 bales American; receipts, 4,000 bales, including 3,900 bales American. Futures opened easier and closed very steady; American middlings, April, 6.04d; April and May, 6.01d; May and June, 6.01d; June and July, 6.00d; July and August, 5.99d; August and September, 5.95d; September and October, 5.81d; October and November, 5.83d; November and December, 5.79d; December and January, 5.75d; January and February, 5.75d.

	Open	High	Low	Close
January	10.61	10.62	10.61	10.62
April	*11.17	11.17	11.17	11.18
May	11.50	11.51	11.50	11.51
July	11.17	11.20	11.16	11.18
August	11.03	11.04	11.02	11.03
September	10.70	10.70	10.70	10.71
October	10.54	10.61	10.57	10.58
November	10.57	10.57	10.57	10.58
December	10.59	10.61	10.58	10.59

*1814.

Evaporated Fruits.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The market for evaporated apples shows no further change. Fair to good are quoted at 8¾@9c; nearly to strictly prime, 9½@9¾c; choice, 10c; fancy, 11c. Prunes are in good jobbing demand with 50-90s particularly firm. Quotations range from 4¾@8c according to grade. Apricots are in light supply on spot and the tone of the market is firm; choice are quoted at 10¾@11c; extra choice, 11¾@12c; fancy, 12@12½c. Peaches are in good jobbing demand and firm in tone, although prices are not quotably higher; choice are quoted at 10@10½c; extra choice, 10½@11c; fancy, 11@11½c; extra fancy, 11½@12c. Raisins are quiet and unchanged; loose muscatel are quoted at 6@6½c; seeded raisins, 5¼@7¼c; London layers, $1 50@1 60.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 12.—Turpentine—Firm, 66c; sales, 455; receipts, 445; shipments, 780.

Rosin—Firm; sales, 1,389; receipts, 918; shipments, 1,012; stock, 43,376. Quote: A, B, C, $3 70; D, $3 75; E, $3 80; F, $3 85; G, $3 90; H, $4 25; I, $4 60; K, $5 00; M, $5 00; N, $5 10; W. G., $5 20; W. W., $5 25.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 12.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; receipts, 3 casks. Rosin nothing doing; receipts, 85. Tar firm; $1 80; receipts, 523. Crude turpentine firm, $2 80, $4 75 and $5 00; receipts, 30 casks.

COKE PRODUCTION FALLS OFF DURING THE WEEK

Large Number of Ovens Are Blown Out—Prices Remain Firm, but a Strong Demand Is Expected.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., April 12.—Coke production in the Connellsville region fell off 1,000 tons last week caused by the blowing out of about 100 ovens. Shipments increased nearly 5,000 tons. The hard coal in stock, it is estimated, can last only a few weeks, and in case of a settlement of the labor difficulties is delayed the coke region will be looked to for at least a partial supply of fuel in the eastern markets. Coke prices remain firm at $2.35 to $2.50 for furnace grades and $3 to $3.50 for foundry.

A summary of the Connellsville region for the week ended April 7 shows a total of 23,312 ovens, of which 21,067 are in operation, a decrease of 103 ovens from the active list. The week's production is estimated at 265,519 tons or 1,076 tons less than the week previous.

The shipments aggregated 12,329 cars distributed to the following points: Pittsburgh district, 4,466 cars; west of Pittsburgh, 6,509 cars; eastern district, 1,245 cars. The shipments amounted to 234,429 tons, an increase of 4,656 tons over the previous week. The Masontown shipments aggregated 2,593 cars to the following points: Pittsburgh district, 240 cars; west of Pittsburgh, 2,193 cars; eastern district, 104 cars. The Masontown shipments are estimated at 71,143 tons, an increase of 924 tons over the week previous.

Senate Confirms Nominations.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The senate in executive session today confirmed the following nominations for postmasters:

Pennsylvania—B. A. Weaver, Montoursville; S. G. McGregor, Burgettstown. Ohio—H. W. Krumm, Columbus.

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TALKING B. & O. TIMECARD

Public interest has been aroused in what other Ohio railroads are going to do, now that the Ann Arbor and Detroit, Toledo & Ironton roads have broken over the lines in the interstate business in rates. As was noted in The Gazette, these roads have given notice to other roads of the Central Passenger association that 3 cents a mile will be charged from Detroit to Toledo, and 2 cents from Toledo to Ohio points for all through tickets from Detroit. So far no other road has announced a policy in this regard. All Pittsburgh lines are charging the old fares from Pittsburgh to points in Ohio. Many passengers are taking advantage of the 2-cent rate in Ohio by repurchasing tickets at the first available point in that state, but people with baggage cannot do this without waiting for another train, as the baggage is thrown off at the station to which the ticket purchased at Pittsburgh reads.

One month of 2-cent rates in Ohio ended last Tuesday, but no official figures have been received with respect to this traffic as compared with other months. Even were figures at hand, there could be no equitable comparison. One thing that is somewhat of a criterion as to the effect of the 2-cent rate on travel is the observation of passenger conductors. From expressions gleaned from a large number of conductors running local in Ohio, it is certain that local traffic has increased in large proportions over its status before the 2-cent rate was set aside. There has been no alarming cry from any of the roads that traffic has lessened or that revenues are decreasing, nor has there been any tendency toward cutting down operating expenses in passenger service because of the 2-cent rate.

After the Ohio law was passed, railroad men said that the rates local to Ohio would be settled first, and probably afterward there would be attention paid to the interstate rates, although they claimed that in this case the 2-cent rate would hardly apply to Ohio mileage on tickets bought in other states, or to this mileage from points in Ohio to points in other states. The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton and Ann Arbor roads broke over. Pittsburghers are wondering just how soon it will be possible to save from $1 to $2 on tickets by roads from here to Ohio points, making the through rate the sum of locals in each state. People, and especially traveling men, are noting this with much interest, and they claim that the Pennsylvania lines, Baltimore & Ohio and Wabash are but cutting off their noses to spite their faces in not putting into effect a through rate in the manner announced by the two roads from Detroit and Toledo.

Agitation for a flat 2-cent rate in Pennsylvania is strengthening every day, and it will be but a matter of several months until a 2-cent rate law will be passed by the legislature. One man suggested yesterday that such a law might be made better for the railroads if some of the larger lines would voluntarily put a 2-cent rate in effect. This would tend to alleviate the feelings, and railroads of this state might have a law something like that urged by Governor Hanly of Indiana, by which roads earning less than $2,000 a mile annually would be exempt from the 2-cent law.

B. & O. Holding Timecard Meeting.

D. B. Martin, manager of passenger traffic of the Baltimore & Ohio, will arrive in Pittsburgh this morning for a conference with passenger officers of the company on the summer time card changes. This is the first meeting of Baltimore & Ohio officers. It could not be learned yesterday what changes are proposed in through service.

General Manager Yohe and General Passenger Agent Robison of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie returned from New York yesterday morning. They attended a general time-card meeting of all New York Central lines, but no announcement was made of general changes agreed upon. The general time-card will probably not go into effect until the middle of June. Passenger officers of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie will hold their final meeting next Monday to arrange certain important changes in local schedules. There may also be an important through change, although this had not been definitely decided upon yesterday. After this meeting the proposed changes will be submitted to the transportation department for approval. Those changes concern mainly a fitting of the local and suburban schedules to the wants of the people.

Railroaders on the Go.

General Manager Fitzgerald spent a few hours at Glenwood yesterday afternoon while enroute from a trip of inspection of the Baltimore & Ohio lines west of Pittsburgh. Among the subjects of direct interest was the proposition for a Y. M. C. A. branch at Glenwood. Feeling among the men has strengthened since the mass meeting Wednesday evening. Mr. Fitzgerald will favor a branch for Glenwood.

T. S. Murray of the office of President Murray and chief of the voucher bureau of the Baltimore & Ohio, was in Pittsburgh conferring with local officers yesterday. General Storekeeper D. A. Williams was also in Pittsburgh.

General Agent Farsley of the Kansas City Southern, at Chicago, spent a couple of days looking after traffic from this district.

District Passenger Agent George S. Pentecost of the Rock Island-Frisco system, is touring his territory north of Pittsburgh.

J. C. Toynbee, commercial agent of the Cotton Belt route, left for New York last night on a business trip.

Vice President Schoonmaker of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie returned from New York.

Last Day to Get Under Line.

This is the last day that members of the Traffic club of Pittsburgh, or those who want to attend the annual dinner next Friday evening, will have a chance to "get under the line" for seats at the banquet. Unless acceptances are all in the committee's hands by tomorrow morning expectant members or guests will find themselves wanting, for conditions are such that the committee must close the list. A final meeting of the general dinner committee was held at the Hotel Henry yesterday, when definite arrangements of details were made. Pittsburgh railroad men received word from New York yesterday that the organization of the New York Traffic club has been decided upon and its success is already assured. H. L. Joyce has been elected temporary chairman and C. A. Swope secretary. A committee of seven will be appointed to draft a plan of permanent organization to be reported on at a meeting early in May. Pointers will be secured from the Pittsburgh club.

P. R. R. Train Rules Men Meet.

Robert Pitcairn presided at a meeting of the train rules committee of the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday. Mr. Pitcairn has the distinction of being chairman of this committee and also of a committee of like name for the American Railway association. Among out-of-town members present were Superintendent F. P. Abercrombie of the New York division, Superintendent H. W. Kapp of the Baltimore division, Superintendent L. W. Allibone of the Sunbury and Lewistown divisions, and Superintendent of Passenger Transportation C. M. Sheaffer and Superintendent of Telegraph D. C. Stewart of Philadelphia.

Lake Erie Centering Department.

The office of the new electrical engineer of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad—whoever that may be; a man has not yet been found for the position—will hereafter be located in room No. 512 of the Terminal building, instead of on the fourth floor. The new location, to which the office equipment and clerical force were removed yesterday, adjoins the office of Chief Engineer Atwood, under whose jurisdiction the electrical engineer works. This removal centers the engineering department on the fifth floor.

Railroad Notes.

The American Railway association will hold its annual meeting in Chicago on April 25.

W. H. Duana has been appointed chief engineer of the Big Four, to succeed George W. Kittredge.

The Chesapeake & Ohio will build a pier at a cost of $500,000 at Newport News, Va. The contract has been awarded to Ernest Williams of Lynchburg.

Frank U. Armstrong, ticket clerk at the Union station office, will resume his duties today after having been confined to his home five weeks by a siege of scarlet fever.

Loading of lumber and use of certain classes of cars were discussed yesterday by representatives of the eastern railroads and of the National Lumber Dealers' association at the Duquesne club.

It is announced that the New York Central will complete double tracking the West Shore railroad this year, and will run all but fast freight and passenger trains on this road, the main line of the New York Central & Hudson river to be devoted to the latter class of trains.

Gen. A. P. Kennedy is Candidate.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., April 12.—(Special.)—Announcement was made today by Gen. Robert P. Kennedy of his candidacy for secretary of state at the next Republican convention. He has been lieutenant governor and congressman and was president of President McKinley's insular commission.

Gas Stove Ignites Furniture.

Fire broke out in the second story of 719 Fifth avenue about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. A gas stove fell over and set fire to some of the furniture. The rooms are occupied by H. De La Fauntaure.

GERBER HUNTS PRISON CELL TO ACQUIRE COMMON SENSE

Has Hard Time Getting Arrested After He Uses Jimmy, Robs Flat and Awaits Arrival of the Owner and Officers.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 12.—Gustav Gerber, 24 years old, surrendered himself to the police Wednesday night and accused himself of burglary, exhibiting the "jimmy" with which he confessed having forced his way into the apartment of Annie Carson, at No. 316 East Thirty-second street. Gerber explained, as the cause of his surrender, that he wanted to go to prison for two or three years and get common sense. He said he was a machinist, not insane, and he earned $21 a week whenever he cared to work, but betting on horse races in poolrooms and other forms of gambling had kept him "broke" month after month.

Gerber succeeded in giving the police a shock and his presentation of his troubles so puzzled Magistrate Mayo in the Yorkville court that he held the man for further examination.

Gerber, blue-eyed, intelligent looking and well dressed, walked into police headquarters with the "jimmy" in his hand Wednesday evening. He said he broke into Miss Carson's flat, took everything of value, and then waited for the owner to return so she could have him arrested. Tiring of this, he went out with his plunder under one arm and his "jimmy" in his hand and walked up and down past a policeman several times without attracting unfavorable attention. Then he went to police headquarters, he said, walked around the corridors with the "jimmy" prominently displayed. Every one ignored him.

Almost despairing, Gerber walked into the information bureau and was agreeably surprised when his story found attention and he was accommodated with arrest. He was displeased later because he had to stand up all night in a cell there.

When Magistrate Mayo wanted to send Gerber back to headquarters for the night the man yelled objections and was sent to the Tombs in $2,500 bonds. He refused to give his correct name or address.

SONS OF OLD HANCOCK TO GATHER AT BANQUET

Some of City's Most Prominent Men to Tell of Her Glories Around Festive Board.

Over 100 business and professional men of Pittsburgh who were all born in Hancock county, West Virginia, and spent their boyhood days among the vine-clad hills and fertile valleys of that historic county, will banquet, with their wives and daughters, at the Union club rooms, Frick building, on the evening of May 4.

William D. Porter, judge of the Superior court; Jasper Porter, president of the United States National bank; James W. Grove, president of the Monongahela National bank; George W. Stewart, president of the Stewart & Co., wholesale shoe dealers; John, Hugh, James and Arthur Moren of the Monongahela Coal and Coke Company, and Daniel Taylor, vice-president of the Pittsburgh Brass Company, are among those who have signified their intention of being present. J. P. Mahan and Attorneys Edwin Porter and T. S. Brown have charge of arrangements for the banquet. The Hon. Peter A. Pugh, member of the West Virginia legislature, and A. P. Howard of the Mortgage Banking Company will be among the speakers.

Though Hancock county, West Virginia, is the smallest county in the smallest state west of the Allegheny mountains, it has nevertheless given birth to some of Pittsburgh's most progressive business and professional men. Hancock county is noted in frontier history as the scene of the duel between Adam Poe, leader of the English settlers, and Big Foot, the famous Indian chief, in which Poe, though wounded in a previous fight, was victorious. The hardihood displayed by Poe and the other early settlers of old Hancock, and bequeathed as a priceless heritage to her sons, has made them leaders in every business and profession in which they have engaged and in every part of the country to which they have gone.

CONSULT THE CHILDREN, SAYS THE PRESIDENT

Playgrounds Can Be Too Well Regulated, Is Advice to the White House Visitors.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The National Playground association was formed here today, composed of representatives from various parts of the country interested in outdoor and athletic sports, the chief promoter of the movement being Dr. Luther Gulick, of New York city, president of the National Educational association. According to the constitution of the new organization its object is to collect and distribute knowledge of and promote interest in playgrounds throughout the country, as well as to seek to further the establishment of playgrounds and athletic fields in all communities and direct play in connection with the schools.

The meeting today was largely attended. After organizing the delegates proceeded to the White House and were received by the President. In response to a few remarks by Dr. Gulick, President Roosevelt said, in part:

"Let me say just one thing which I am sure it is hardly necessary for me to say, and that is to remember that in trying to shape the plays for the children you have got to consult the children especially. You must try to take advantage of their initiative and simply help in shaping it in the proper direction.

"One of the chief difficulties that all of us have encountered who have tried to help in establishing hotels for young women, or houses where working girls could live, or clubs where instead of being saloons there shall be coffee clubs for men, we often establish such an excellent series of regulations that nobody will go to them. While aiming to develop the plays, as far as possible, let the children work out their own salvation in their own way; simply exercise such supervision to see that they do not do harm. Remember in the last analysis the play has to suit them and not us."

MAYOR SCORES THE LAIRD.

Cincinnati Executive Says Andrew Carnegie's Benefices Should Have Begun in His Iron Mills.

CINCINNATI, O., April 12.—(Special.)—Mayor Dempsey today explained why, in his address at the dedication of the Walnut Hills branch library, donated by Andrew Carnegie, he absolutely ignored the Pittsburgh multi-millionaire.

"I purposely refrained from any mention of Carnegie," said he. "I have no deep admiration for a man who has made his millions out of the sweat and blood of the poor toiling classes, and who then attempts to atone for the oppression by giving away library buildings and thus advertising himself as a philanthropist.

"The place his beneficence should begin is in the workshop and the working men should have the first benefit. I exceedingly regret that Cincinnati accepted a library from Carnegie. He is a creation of a system of special privileges which has enriched the few at the expense of the many. I am not at all in accord with his manner of making money and scarcely more so with his method of spending it."

LARKIN PAYS JUDGMENTS.

Isn't Waiting for Bond Issue and Uses Current Receipts Instead.

Controller Larkin is paying judgments against the city out of the current cash receipts, instead of waiting for an issue of bonds to pay off the debt. If the city councils do not provide for a bond issue of $1,000,000 there will, therefore, be a big deficit at the end of the fiscal year.

The controller said yesterday that he and Mayor Guthrie had agreed that a bond issue of $1,00,000 is all that ought to be made now. Some members of councils hold that at least $1,500,000 bonds should be sold, to provide for water extension.

Nothing the Matter With Texas.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A substantial increase in the manufactures of Texas is shown in a preliminary summary of statistics issued by the census bureau today, for the calendar year 1904. The number of establishments was 3,158, against 3,107 in 1900. Capital invested aggregated $115,664,871, and total value of products $150,528,389, an increase of 62 per cent over 1900.

OPEN DOOR IN MANCHURIA.

Japanese Government Again Expresses Its Adherence to World-Wide Policy in the Province.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The state department has received through the American embassy at Tokio another assurance from the Japanese government of its firm adherence to the principle of the open door in Manchuria. This follows the announcement last Tuesday that foreign consuls would be permitted to open up thier offices in certain of the Manchurian ports and interior business towns in May and June next.

Business interests engaged in the export trade had been getting apprehensive that this great country was to be swamped and gutted with Japanese goods before any opening was afforded to foreign trade.

DYNAMITE KILLS DIVERS.

Two Men Meet Instant Death While Searching for the Body of a Hunter.

JACKSON, MICH., April 12.—Louis Tebo, one of the best known submarine divers on the lower lakes, was instantly killed, and Fred Crosswaithe, another diver, fatally injured this afternoon by an explosion of dynamite.

The two divers were searching Michigan Center lake for the body of a hunter drowned several days ago and had placed a quantity of dynamite to explode under the water in the hope of bringing the body to the surface. The dynamite was prematurely exploded before the men could get away.

Pays for Something He Did Not Get.

The case of A. Fogleman against John Mengle, who is charged with larceny, was heard before Alderman C. F. Anderson yesterday afternoon, but no decision was rendered. Fogleman claims that in February, 1904, he paid Mengle $700 for one-half interest in a butcher stand in Diamond market and that the stand was never delivered to him.

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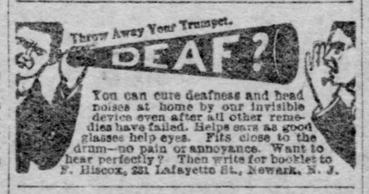
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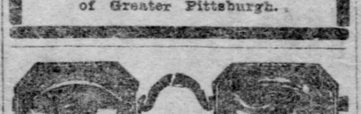

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